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LIST OF TEACHERS

THE RURAL SCHOOLS ARE OPEN AND THE SCHOOL MA'AM BUSY

LOTS OF KIDS ON HAND

One Hundred and Seventy-Five Schools in Nodaway County and a Few Abandoned Districts.

The rural schools over the county, and many of the schools in the towns, opened Monday, and there was a big attendance of pupils on hand for the first day. There are 181 school districts in the county, but there are only 175 schools, as some of the school districts have been abandoned. Two districts—No. 14 and the Fannon district—have been taken in by other school districts. Four districts—Champion Hill, Central, Lone Valley and Peace and Harmony—have been abandoned on account of the small enumeration, and the pupils in these districts are attending the neighboring schools this year.

The following are the names of the teachers of the rural schools over the county, the school they are teaching and the postoffice address:

Bertha Campbell, Risser school, Sheridan.
Orpho Glass, Foster, Sheridan.
Bessie Dinsmore, Maple Grove, Parnell.
Mrs. Myrtle Pierce, Unity, Hopkins.
Beula Russell, Prairie Star, Hopkins.
Effie A. Henderson, Plum Grove, Clearmont.
Lois VanBuren, Lone Elm, Clearmont.
Ada Williams, Lily White, Clearmont.
Leatha Hutchison, White Chapel, Braddyville.
Margaret Hopper, Mt. Tabor, Elmo.
Anna Huff, North Prairie, Elmo.
Jane Salmond, North Grove, Elmo.
Cora Craver, Union Grove, Elmo.
Rucia Allen, Maple Grove, Clearmont.
Eva E. Loomis, Hickory Grove, Clearmont.
Edith Graybill, Independence, Hopkins.
May Grouner, Highland, Maryville.
Bernice Wells, Excelsior, Hopkins.
Bess M. Burch, Fairview, Hopkins.
Austie Cowen, Prairie Flower, Hopkins.
Cecil Bayless, Mt. Vernon, Hopkins.
Hattie Lawler, Lone Star, Sheridan.
J. M. Hook, Luteston, Sheridan.
Ethel Brown, Star of the West, Sheridan.
Blanche Bloomfield, Oak Grove, Parnell.
Euphemia Hefflin, Independence, Parnell.
Dollie Dinsmore, Happy Hollow, Parnell.
Grace Lewis, Xenia, Hopkins.
Low Snodgrass, White Cloud, Hopkins.
Jennie Ringold, Clyde, Hopkins.
Clara Neff, Prairie View, Clearmont.
Hazel V. Hopper, Hazel Dell, Clearmont.
Lorel Livengood, Cottonwood, Elmo.
Blanche Williams, Possumwalk, Burlington Junction.
Ruth Lowry, Salem, Elmo.
Emma Robinson, High Prairie, Elmo.
Neomi Horn, Loraine, Burlington Junction.
Clara Davenport, Dawson, Burlington Junction.
Ethel L. Bush, Little Brick, Burlington Junction.
Mona Hosher, Evans, Maryville.
Mary B. Carter, Hedge College, Burlington Junction.
Dora Smith, Toad Hollow, Wilcox.
Leatha Patterson, Sunrise, Maryville.
Gladys V. McKee, Glendale, Pickering.
J. F. Clayton, Mowery, Pickering.
Myra Partridge, Bloomdale, Maryville.
Harry Lett, Hopkins, Moziago Valley.
Edna King, Snow Ball, Parnell.
Vernando Hefflin, Logan, Parnell.
Lura Brown, Bunker Hill, Parnell.
Della Miller, Elm Grove, Parnell.
Elva Hefflin, Common Sense, Parnell.
Leila Oliphant, Long Branch, Pickering.
W. H. Burr, Excelsior, Maryville.

Clemma McGuire, Myrtle Tree, Maryville.
Nellie Nunnelle, Bloomfield, Pickering.
Esther Neal, Lock, Maryville.
Sarah McGettigan, Owell, Maryville.
Lapensa Amrini, Ireland, Maryville.
Florence Lawson, Mt. Vernon, Maryville.
Dora Parks, Guthrie, Burlington Junction.
Mabel Carver, Hardisty, Burlington Junction.
Gertrude Peters, Pleasant Valley, Burlington Junction.
Audrey Broyles, Hagey, Burlington Junction.
Vera Rodman, Butler, Burlington Junction.
Edith Collins, Pifer, Skidmore.
Maybird Carver, Star, Burlington Junction.
Vesper Nicholas, Carter, Burlington Junction.
Nettie Jensen, Wilcox, Maryville.
Mary L. Watson, Knabb, Maryville.
Grace Fisher, Herron, Maryville.
Ruby Ruddell, Elm Grove, Maryville.
Mary Fordyce, Union, Maryville.
Emma Starr, Highland, Maryville.
Nellie McKnight, Casteel, Maryville.
Ada Dinsmore, Champaign, Ravenwood.
Eunice Skinner, Wilcox, Parnell.
Eugene Larmer, Morning View, Ravenwood.
Leland Richards, Munkers, Ravenwood.
Kathryn Sweeney, Sweet Home, Ravenwood.
Maggie Sweeney, Hickory Hill, Ravenwood.
Mildred Adams, Pioneer, Ravenwood.
Myriel Gates, Gallagher, Ravenwood.
Edith Marsh, Douglas, Maryville.
Bernice McGinniss, Council Corner, Maryville.
Eva Whitehead, Garrett, Maryville.
Homer A. Neff, Lasher, Maryville.
Nora Felix, Shell Grove, Wilcox.
Dollie Hughes, Royster, Quitman.
Mrs. Ella Hale, Quitman, Quitman.
Eliza Hise, Carden, Quitman.
Mabel Palmer, New Hope, Quitman.
Maud Marquis, Eureka, Skidmore.
Nita Strickler, Mt. Vernon, Skidmore.
Katie Rodman, Albright, Skidmore.
Lora Stultz, Tarpley, Skidmore.
Luta Moody, Pleasant Hill, Maryville.
Elizabeth O'Riley, Gill, Quitman.
Hazel Masters, Rockford, Maryville.
Golda Roach, Bell Grove, Maryville.
Frances Floyd, Martha Washington, Maryville.
Ora Wilcox, Mt. Ayr, Maryville.
May Evans, Bedison, Bedison.
Mae Allen, Bristle Ridge, Clyde.
Golden Wells, Diamond Branch, Ravenwood.
Jennie M. Nelson, Fryar, Ravenwood.
Maude Winslow, LaBelle, Ravenwood.
Margaret McCann, North Wildcat, Ravenwood.
Margaret Corcoran, Hazel Grove, Conception Junction.
Ruth Hobbs, Swinford, Clyde.
Roxie Wilson, Rose Hill, Guilford.
Cordon Vickery, Jones Branch, Arkoe.
Florence Shippis, Scudder, Maryville.
Grace Pugh, Swallow, Maryville.
Rose Shinabargar, Highland, Maryville.
Wh. F. Wingrey, Eastern Star, Graham.
Violet O'Riley, Union Star, Skidmore.
Mayme Hefflin, Union Valley, Skidmore.
Anna Craytor, Scrub Oak, Skidmore.
Laura Pugh, Burr Oak Grove, Skidmore.
Byron M. Hanna, Goodwill, Skidmore.
Alfred Walton, Liberty, Skidmore.
Olva Ramsey, Elm Grove, Graham.
Zella Barton, Morgan, Skidmore.
Pearl Carver, Blackman, Maryville.
Edith Davenport, Arkoe, Arkoe.
Lizzie Tanner, Black Oak, Barnard.
Samuel Chambers, Fox, Barnard.
Golda Wohlford, Jefferson, Barnard.
Nona L. Donahue, Green, Clyde.
Sr. M. Mechilde, Old Conception, Conception.
Sr. M. Maura, South Wildcat, Clyde.
Rose Schiefelbusch, McCann, Clyde.
W. E. Brittain, Pleasant View, Guilford.
Otha Rimel, White Oak Grove, Clyde.
Curtis Robinson, Liberty, Barnard.
Mattie Wilson, Fairview, Barnard.
Opha Crawford, Davis, Barnard.
Belle Collins, Trego, Barnard.
Hazel Noblet, Lyle, Barnard.
Lucy Black, Stark, Graham.
Nellie Banister, Hazel Dell, Graham.
Myrtle Rascine, Barnes, Barnard.
A. S. Blagg, Maple Grove, Barnard.
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WILL NOT ACCEPT

JUDGE ALDERMAN DECLINES THE BULL MOOSE NOMINATION.

STILL LOYAL TO CAUSE

But Does Not Want Nomination for Office—Money Threatens Existence of Government by People.

Another candidate that was nominated Saturday on the Bull Moose county ticket has declined to accept the nomination. It is Judge Ira K. Alderman of this city, who was selected as the party's candidate for public administrator. Judge Alderman was a candidate on the Republican ticket before the primary, but on the day before the primary election withdrew from that ticket, saying he was a Bull Moose.

The withdrawal of Judge Alderman from the Bull Moose ticket is the second one. F. L. Flynt, who was nominated for county surveyor, withdrew the first of the week. It seems that no one wants to run on the Bull Moose ticket except the Republican candidates.

A copy of Judge Alderman's letter to W. W. Glass, chairman of the county Progressive committee, was given to this paper, and is as follows:

Mr. W. W. Glass, Chairman Progressive County Committee, Maryville, Mo.: Dear Sir—Being advised (informally) that I was nominated to the office of public administrator by the Progressive county convention in this city last Saturday, the 31st of August, though not ungrateful of the honor tendered me, I am hereby handing you my withdrawal from, or resignation as nominee.

I am doing so at this early date, that your committee may promptly supply the vacancy.

I had occupied a seat in the convention up to a few minutes before the nomination occurred, but had a right to not expect mention of my name for the office, from the fact I had repeatedly advised friends who had suggested it to me I could not consent to use my name as a candidate for any office. I do not feel that I could consistently do my share of carrying forward your ticket that belongs to a candidate, and with less consistency permit it to be done by others.

I trust I may be permitted to add that this action must not be taken as indicating my want of personal interest in or loyalty to the cause of the Progressive party. Hence I now assure your committee that any duty within my ability to perform in furtherance of our cause that I can with consistency be at your service, for I shall only be happy to show forth my loyalty to the great statesmen that head our ticket, Roosevelt and Johnson, which, in my case, can best be shown as a private in the ranks.

It seems to me that encouragement adds to encouragement daily. The bitterness of hate, jealousy and envy already the principal stock in hand by the oligarchy that assumes governmental functions through the political parties they control, in personal attacks against one of the mainstays of men, Theodore Roosevelt, principally founded on mere hearsay and fathered by the incredulities of most unsavory standing before the people, gives clearest proof that the foes of progressive reforms are hopeless and forlorn, having nothing to offer constructively, they propose to destroy.

I have seen no clearer statement of real conditions confronting our electorate everywhere that has so aroused the conscience of the American citizenship, regardless of former party affiliations, giving rise to the great movement against corruption in public life than these words from a cabinet officer, saying: "Today government by money threatens the very existence of government by the people."

That is the real issue—shall the people rule?

Win or lose this campaign the Progressive movement must as surely succeed as that right must triumph.

Sincerely and truly yours,
IRA K. ALDERMAN.

Meetings Are Successful.

The revival meetings in progress this week at the Mt. Ayr Methodist church, east of Maryville, are very successful. Rev. W. B. Royston of Barnard, the pastor of that church, is conducting these services, and on Monday night he had three conversions, on Tuesday night, two conversions, and on Wednesday night four conversions.

THEY'RE ON A HIKE

MOTHER AND DAUGHTER ON A WALKING TRIP TO DENISON, TEX.

WALK 16 MILS A DAY

They Will Visit a Number of Friends on the Way and Expect to Complete Round Trip in 3 Months.

Maryville people are getting used to seeing tourists passing through the city, auto tourists, mostly, in all sorts of cars, from the finest equipment to the simplest, and from all parts of the country. The motorcycle tourist is an ordinary sight, too, and once in a while we see travelers by wagon going to some distant point, and once in a great long while we see an old prairie schooner going along.

But Wednesday evening about 5 o'clock an entirely new kind of travelers came into town. Real pedestrians they were, and girls at that, too.

Everybody who saw them knew they were out for a long hike, because they were hot and dusty, but not tired looking, for they are entirely fit for the long walk they have started on—from Ft. Des Moines, Ia., to Denison, Texas.

The travelers are Mrs. C. C. Reed and her daughter, Miss Leone Winans, of Ft. Des Moines, Ia. Mrs. Reed is the wife of the proprietor of the drug store at Ft. Des Moines.

They started on their long pleasure trip, for such it is, Tuesday morning, August 30, and at the end of their nine-day walk into Maryville Wednesday evening they had traveled 140 miles, averaging sixteen miles and a fraction each day.

They walked along the Great Western tracks out of Fort Des Moines until they came to the Blue Grass automobile trail which they followed to Creston, when they struck the Saints Highway and will follow it to Kansas City.

Mrs. Reed is a little, nice looking woman, 5 feet and 1 inch tall and weighing 121 pounds. She was 34 years old Monday, but does not look it by ten years. Her daughter is 5 feet 4 inches tall and weighs 98 pounds. She is a slight, fair girl, light brown hair and blue eyes. The mother has almost black hair and blue eyes. Both are good appearing and have a nice friendly way.

They are dressed alike, with brown wash silk waists, short sleeves and round collar, dark brown wool skirts to their shoe tops, buckskin walking boots and soft white linen hats. They carry black oilcloth knapsacks, each containing underwear, a sweater and a rain coat, and a combined knife, fork and spoon, and a revolver.

"But," said Mrs. Reed, "we do not expect to have to use the revolver. We are treated so nice wherever we are."

"It is our intention to always stop in town over night. We miscalculated the other day and were caught at dark at a farm house five miles this side of Lenox. We asked if we could stop for the night and were cordially invited to do so before they could even see what we looked like. When we went in we found ourselves in a veritable palace of a country home. And how they did treat us. Gave us their guest chamber with private bath and all. If we had been queens in royal robes they could not have treated us better. Shults was their name. We shall never forget them."

"No, my husband did not want me to take this trip this way, but I have been at him for years to let me do it, so he at last consented. He cannot understand why I want to walk. He stays in the store from early morning till late at night, and couldn't walk two miles if he had to. I was raised on a farm and must have exercise or I'll die. I help him in the store and I wanted this trip for a vacation. We will be gone three months and will ride home."

In Kansas City, Mo., they will stop to visit Mrs. William Fisher; in Kansas City, Kan., Mrs. Sarah Kail, at 23 Boeke street, and at Junction City, Kan., with Mrs. Leona Wagner. They will then start on their tramp to Oklahoma to visit two of Mrs. Reed's sisters, Mrs. R. M. Davis of Sta'ford, Okla., and Mrs. N. L. Carroll of Phillips, Okla., and then on to Denison, Texas, to visit another sister, Mrs. Ella Snow.

Mrs. Reed and her daughter are not trying to make a record in walking. They stop and rest when tired, eat when hungry, eat whatever they want, and drink nothing but water.

AGAINST AN ELMO FIRM.

Proceedings Brought in Federal Court at St. Joseph on Wednesday.

A bankrupt action was filed in the federal court in St. Joseph yesterday against the firm of Anderson Brothers of Elmo. Two local creditors, Nave-McCord Mercantile Co. and G. W. Chase & Sons, and a Kansas City firm, Rothenberg & Schloss, are listed in the petition.

Nave-McCord's account with the Elmo firm is given at \$635.22, and that of Chase & Sons as \$191. Rothenberg & Schloss give their account as \$25. The petition charges that the firm transferred sums of money to preferred creditors, thereby committing acts of bankruptcy.

TIME IS UP

For Candidates to File Their Campaign Expense Affidavits—All Have Filed.

The time was up today for the candidates to file their campaign expense affidavits. All of the county candidates have filed. George Pat Wright, for prosecuting attorney, spent \$9.50, and William Blackford, for judge of the county court for the north district, did not spend a cent in the campaign.

Other candidates filing expense affidavits today were Ed Wallace, for sheriff, who spent \$43.10; W. J. Skidmore, for representative, spent \$65.40, and John M. Dawson, for township committeeman, spent \$2.50.

BAND CONCERT THIS EVENING.

Here's the Program for the One to Be Given by the Maryville Concert Band.

The following is the program to be given this evening by the Maryville band, Prof. L. V. Lawler, director: March—Convention City.....Allen Selection from the opera "Wang".....Berceuse from Jocelyn.....Godard Medley march—O, Mr. Dream Man.....Phillips Paraphrase—Lorely.....Nesvadba Intermezzo—Idle Fancies.....Herbert Clark The Rhinoceros Rag.....Allen March—Across the Pacific.....Fulton

RUN TO BE MADE SEPTEMBER 17.

Autoists From Eagleville and Other Towns to Come to Maryville on That Date.

Autoists and others from Eagleville and several from neighboring towns will make a run to Maryville on September 17 for the purpose of advertising and organizing for the White Trail, a proposed automobile highway from Quincy, Ill., to Nebraska City, Neb. The run was to have been made Wednesday, but on account of the condition of the roads was put off until later.

WANT MORE HELP.

Superintendent J. R. Edwards of the Postoffice Building, Would Like to Have 25 More Laborers.

Superintendent J. R. Edwards of the new postoffice building in this city has an advertisement in today's paper for twenty-five good laborers to work on the building. Mr. Edwards stated that more help is needed now. The work on the building is progressing very nicely.

WON SEVERAL PREMIUMS.

F. P. Robinson, Progressive Nominee for Congress, Displayed Poland-China at State Fair.

F. P. Robinson of this city has a carload of Poland-China registered hogs on display at the Nebraska state fair at Lincoln this week. Word was received Thursday morning that he had won several first and second prizes on his animals and third prize on the herd.

TO BE BROUGHT TO MARYVILLE.

Ed Flemming, in Jail at Hopkins, to Be Put in the County Jail Here.

Deputy Sheriff Evans went to Hopkins Thursday to bring Ed Flemming to the county jail here. Flemming is charged with disturbing the peace of the neighborhood at Hopkins, and has been in the jail at that town for several days.

Guests From Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, from Wyoming, have been at Barnard for several days visiting Mr. Smith's sister, Mrs. Butler Clawson, and Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Sarah Moffitt. They will leave Friday for California to spend the winter, stopping in Kansas City for a day's visit with Mr. Smith's old friend, A. L. Cutler.

FARMS AT AUCTION

FIVE HUNDRED SIXTY-THREE ACRES TO HIGHEST BIDDER.

BROUGHT GOOD AVERAGE

The Two Farms Bring a Total of More Than Forty-Two Thousand Dollars From Nodaway County Men.

At the public land auction sale held Wednesday afternoon at the old Lee farm, east of the city, a good price was received for both farms. The farms sold were the 250-acre farm, located two and a half miles east of the city, and a farm of 313 acres located about a half mile north of this farm. The sale was cried by Auctioneer R. P. Hosmer, and an average price of \$74 was received for both farms.

The 250-acre farm was sold to Levi Wallace of near Elmo for \$88 an acre, or \$22,000. The 313-acre farm was sold to Perry A. Farrens of Clearmont for \$64.50 an acre, amounting to \$20,188.50. The 313-acre farm had practically no improvements.

Both farms were owned by A. V. Hunt of Clarinda, Ia., and this was the first time for many years that a farm auction sale has been held.

HOLD CIRCUIT COURT SATURDAY

A Short Session Will Be Held on That Day by Judge W. C. Ellison.

Judge Ellison will hold a session of circuit court on Saturday, the principal matter to come up for consideration being the case of Judge J. W. Morris to have the city issue a commission to him as police judge.

Another matter that will come up will be the injunction suit filed restraining Sheriff Tilson and others from selling the mortgaged property of Joe Younger of Elmo. George Walton of Elmo has been appointed receiver of the Younger property at that town and has qualified by giving \$20,000 bond.

WITHOUT HIS AUTHORITY.

Ed Wallace's Name Presented at the Bull Moose Convention Without His Knowledge or Consent.

Ed Wallace of Clearmont, Democratic candidate for sheriff, was in Maryville Thursday. Mr. Wallace met with an accident Tuesday and was on crutches. In speaking to a representative of this paper, Mr. Wallace said that his name was presented at the Bull Moose county convention last Saturday without his authority or knowledge.

Preaching at Pickering.

Rev. H. T. Ducker, pastor of the Pickering M. E. church, will preach at 8 o'clock p. m. The choir will furnish special music. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Roland Wray, superintendent. Epworth League service at 7 o'clock p. m., the subject being "The Peril of Great Achievements." Stant Garten, president. Myrtle Tree meetings will close Sunday afternoon.

Visiting His Son.

A. J. Royston, accompanied by his brother, R. H. Royston, both of Glen-coe, Okla., arrived in Maryville Thursday morning for a visit with A. J. Royston's son, Rev. W. B. Royston of Barnard, who is now conducting revival services at the Mt. Ayr church, east of Maryville.

Miss Carpenter Returned.

Miss Dora Carpenter of the domestic science department of the Maryville schools, returned Thursday morning from Chicago, where she has been taking special work in her department at the Chicago university.

Insurance Adjuster Here.

W. E. Bowen of St. Joseph, insurance adjuster for the Connecticut Insurance company, was in Maryville Thursday settling the loss of a barn and contents that were destroyed by fire a few weeks ago.

On Visit to Son.

Mrs. S. M. Beattie of Newport, Ark., will arrive in Maryville Thursday night for a visit at the home of her son, M. L. Beattie, and his wife.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair and continued warm tonight and Friday.

Latest Post Cards 1 cent each at Crane's

DO YOU NEED GLASSES?
Eyes Tested Free
Glasses Accurately Fitted by expert Optician. Repairs Promptly Executed at CRANE'S.

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For Vice President—Governor Thomas Marshall of Indiana.

For Governor—Elliott M. Major.
For Lieutenant Governor—William R. Painter.

For Secretary of State—Cornelius Roach.
For State Treasurer—Edwin P. Deal.

For State Auditor—John P. Gordon.
For Attorney General—John T. Barker.

For Railroad Commissioner—James T. Bradshaw.
For Judge Supreme Court, Division 1—Henry W. Bond.

For Judge Supreme Court, Division 2—C. B. Faris, Robert F. Walker.
For Judge Kansas City Court of Appeals—F. H. Trimble.

For Congress—C. F. Boober.
For State Senator—Anderson Craig.
For Representative—W. J. Skidmore.

For Judge of South District—Floyd Westfall.
For Judge of North District—Wm. Blackford.

For Prosecuting Attorney—George Pat Wright.
For Sheriff—Ed Wallace.

For Treasurer—E. F. Wolfert.
For Surveyor—J. E. Reese.
For Coroner—Dr. Wm. Wallis, Jr.

For Public Administrator—J. F. Roelofson.

Here From Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Bolin and two children arrived in Maryville Sunday night for a visit with Mr. Bolin's father and brothers, Pleas Bolin and W. F. J. O. and J. D. Bolin. On Sunday a family reunion of the Bolin family will be held in this city at the home of W. F. Bolin.

Returned From the Ozarks.

Miss Lois Halley returned Wednesday night from a two weeks' visit with friends and relatives at Willow Springs, Bronaugh and Sterling, Mo. Miss Halley's grandmother, Mrs. E. E. Bever of Burlington Junction, who accompanied her, stopped at Amazonia for a visit.

Visitors at Wray Home.

Mrs. T. B. Neal of Troy, Kan., and Mrs. Leroy Bennett of Riverton, Neb., and Mrs. L. S. Parker of Blue Mound, Kan., arrived in Maryville Wednesday night and are guests at the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Verne Wray of North Market street.

Guests From Oklahoma.

Prof. and Mrs. Gettinger of Norman, Okla., arrived in the city Thursday and are guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Allen. Prof. Gettinger is a member of the faculty of the State Normal at Norman. Mrs. Gettinger is a niece of Dr. and Mrs. Allen.

Returning to Oklahoma.

Miss Stella Q. Smith left Thursday morning for Oklahoma City, Okla., to resume her work as a teacher in the public schools of that city. Miss Smith will stop in Kansas City for a few days' visit with relatives.

School books and supplies. All kinds. Hotchkiss' Variety Store.

Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—4,000. Market 10c higher. Estimate tomorrow, 1,500.
Hogs—17,000. Market 5c to 15c lower; top, \$8.95. Estimate tomorrow, 13,000.
Sheep—16,000. Market 10c higher.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—5,000. Market strong.
Hogs—3,500. Market 5c to 15c lower; top, \$8.75.
Sheep—6,000. Market 10c higher.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—2,000. Market strong.
Hogs—6,500. Market 5c to 15c lower; top, \$8.70.
Sheep—2,500. Market 10c higher.

"CASCARETS" FOR A SICK, SOUR STOMACH

Gently But Thoroughly Cleanse and Regulate Your Stomach, Liver and Bowels While You Sleep.

That awful sourness, belching of acid and foul gases; that pain in the pit of the stomach, the heartburn, nervousness, nausea, bloating after eating, feeling of fullness, dizziness and sick headache, means a disordered stomach, which cannot be regulated until you remove the cause. It isn't your stomach's fault. Your stomach is as good as any.

Try Cascarets; they immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the intestines and bowels. Then your stomach trouble is ended. A Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning—a 10-cent box from any drug store will keep your stomach sweet; liver and bowels regular for months. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a good, gentle cleansing, too.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Will Meet With Mrs. Hunt.

The Women's Missionary society of the First Baptist church will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. E. Hunt, on East First street.

Will Be a Smith College Girl.

Miss Pauline Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Raleigh Martin of St. Joseph, arrived in Maryville Wednesday for a week's visit with her grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Martin. Miss Martin will leave the 16th of September for Northampton, Mass., to enter Smith college.

C. W. P. M. to Meet Thursday.

The C. W. P. M. of the Christian church will meet at the church Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. All members are requested to be present, as there will be election of officers, and those who have not had the opportunity to contribute to the Jacob Kenoly memorial fund will please come prepared at this meeting.

Eighth Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Halbert T. Catterson, living north of Maryville, observed their eighth wedding anniversary Sunday by entertaining a few friends at dinner. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Porter, Miss Bessie Porter, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Glass. Sunday was also the birthday anniversary of one of the guests, Miss Porter. Milan Glass, the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Glass, acted as best man at Mr. and Mrs. Catterson's wedding.

Wroe Carpenter is Married.

Mr. and Mrs. Wroe G. Carpenter, who were married Sunday at the home of the bride's parents, near Carrollton, Mo., arrived in Maryville Wednesday evening and spent an hour with the family of Mr. Carpenter's brother, L. E. Carpenter. Mrs. Carpenter was Miss Eunice Goodson and is well known in the vicinity of Burlington Junction, where she has visited friends. They went from Maryville to Mr. Carpenter's home, near Quitman Thursday evening and were conveyed there by Fleming Carpenter, a nephew, and Miss Katherine Carpenter, a niece, in the Carpenter Enger car.

Jewel Art Club Organized.

Misses Maggie and Dora Allen were the first hostesses on Tuesday night of the Jewel Art club, a new club organized the week previous at the home of Miss Cleo Grundy. The purpose of the new club is for the general study of needlework, including embroidery and lace crochet. The officers chosen are Miss Dora Allen, president; Miss Mayme Tilson, vice president; Miss Hazel Gove, secretary-treasurer; Miss Cleo Grundy, corresponding secretary. The meetings will be held at the home of one of the members each Tuesday night. The club colors are pink and green. The decorations selected by the hostesses on Tuesday night were pink cosmos and ferns. After the business session the evening's work proceeded and a social time was later enjoyed, when ices were served. There were three guests, Miss Eva Tabler and her guest, Miss Iva Merrill of Woodward, Okla., and Miss Ruth Foster. The club members were all present excepting Misses Lois and Mildred Cummings, who are visiting in Mammoth Springs, Ark. The other members are Misses Maggie, Dora and Daisy Allen, Mayme Tilson, Hazel Gove, Cleo Grundy, Vernie Woodard, Angie VanHorn, Ola and Ora King, Oma Robey, Clara Tabler, Bernice Cast.

Sheriff and Mrs. W. R. Tilson and Miss Mayme Tilson went to Bolckow Thursday morning to attend the fair.

SENATOR STEPHENSON



Isaac Stephenson, the aged senator from Wisconsin, was stricken with severe illness, while in the pine woods far from civilization, but is on the way to recovery.

TO STAND PAT ON CANAL TOLLS

HAGUE TRIBUNAL WILL NOT DECIDE CASE.

Careful Study Shows United States Stands Alone in Matter—Morgan's Influence Feared.

Washington, Sept. 5.—Forewarned by the British protest and not dissuaded by the announcement of the foreign office that the reports of England's intention to refer to The Hague its objections to the Panama canal bill are premature, the state department has made an exhaustive analysis of political and commercial conditions surrounding the nations that are party to The Hague, with a view of determining the probable status of the United States in the controversy.

The study has been made because submission of the canal toll question to The Hague would leave the United States in an anomalous position. Primarily, The Hague was designed to try cases between nation and nation. In the canal case it would be the United States against the world.

The result of the study has not been reassuring. It has strengthened the department in the view that the tolls question is one for the United States to determine alone and it is safe to predict that The Hague will never sit on the case.

The investigation has developed that only three nations represented in The Hague could occupy a position of absolute neutrality. These are Paraguay and Switzerland two inland countries, and Bolivia, which has virtually no maritime commerce.

The inquiry has developed the remarkable fact that an American, J. P. Morgan, by setting patriotism behind him and keeping only to the commercial interests involved, has it in his power to combine with England and dominate the world as represented in The Hague, in settling the question of canal tolls.

STREET CAR MEN NEAR STRIKE

Chicago Unions Suddenly Terminate Conference and Issue Ultimatum.

Chicago, Sept. 5.—Just as the wage controversy between the officials of Chicago's street railway and their 14,000 employees was about to be settled the unions withdrew from the conference and issued an ultimatum.

The men's challenge gives the employers 24 hours to meet the employees' terms or face a general strike. "The joint committee," so they say, "has become convinced that by their dilatory tactics the employers are endeavoring to create dissension among the unionists. Therefore, we offer the companies 24 hours in which to meet our terms or face what measures we may see fit to take to bring about the ends we desire."

"We demand a single arbitration board to settle all disputes regarding wages and working conditions between the men and the two street car companies involved. Either that, or one arbitration board to treat with one company, with the understanding that the other company will make the same terms with us. This is our last word." Officials of the companies said they would give the men their answer at 10 o'clock in the morning.

Increase for Alton Men.

Fulton, Mo., Sept. 5.—A 15 per cent increase in wages has been granted the agents and operators of the Chicago & Alton railroad on several Missouri divisions. Among the cities affected are St. Louis, Kansas City, Slater, Louisiana and Mexico. The increase is due to the activity of a committee from the telegraphers' union, sent to Chicago recently to confer with the officials of the road. The salaries of the operators will now range from \$65 to \$72.50.

Diplomats at Mikado's Bier.

Tokio, Sept. 5.—The entire foreign diplomatic corps paid their respects at the bier of the late Emperor Meiji, upon whose coffin they laid a silver wreath. They were previously received in audience by Emperor Yoshihito and the empress.

WANTED

Applications of those who wish to secure the list of merchandise offered to the couple to be married in public at the

Big Free Street Fair September 19, 1912

All applications are strictly confidential. The decision will be made by lot Saturday, September 7, 1912, but the names of the lucky couple will be kept a secret until the day of the wedding.

The committee has planned to make this the prettiest and best street fair wedding ever held in the city.

Send your names to any of the committee: F. R. Marcell, Harry H. Lyle or Jesse Paulette.

The following list of gifts has a value of \$300.00 and is worth the consideration of those contemplating marriage:

Bee Hive shoe store, bride's slippers; Berney Harris, suit for groom; Maryville Furniture Co., a kitchen cabinet; Montgomery Shoe Co., bride's shoes; Friend barber shop, tonsorial work; Reuillard's, wedding cake; Toggery shop, hat for groom; Schumacher's, parlor lamp; Snoderly Music Co., an organ; Hansen Bros' Cigar Co., box of Little Devil cigars; Corwin-Murrin Co., pair of gloves; Hudson & Welch Hardware Co., gasoline range, five burners; Sweetzer & Davidson, box of Great American cigars; Montgomery & Lyle, shirt for groom; Hutton Cigar Co., box of Lord Lobsters; Love & Gaugh, bottle of perfume; Wadley Bros., best buggy whip; J. C. Denham, lap duster; Cook's bazaar, salad bowl; Raines Bros., an eight-day clock; New York Candy Kitchen, wedding cake; D. R. Eversole, pair of blankets; H. T. Crane, framed picture; Townsend grocery, 100 pounds of Gold Coin flour; M. Nusbaum, umbrella; J. C. Ferriter Drug

Co., box Colgate's soap; Englemann greenhouse, bride's bouquet; Koch Pharmacy, comb and brush; R. S. Braniger, Dakota Cream flour; J. Arthur Wray, marriage license; Andrews & Hempstead, cereal cooker; Saunders Bros., meat market, one ham; R. Deschauer, wedding ring; Mrs. Staples, bride's hat; Forsyth's, side of bacon; Fern theater, admission for wedding party; C. A. Barbour, washing machine; F. M. Petty, rug; Field-Lippman, certificate of part payment for any piano in stock; L. R. Holt, axe; F. R. Marcell, one dozen photos; Democrat-Forum, one year's subscription to daily; Price & McNeal furniture store, a sewing machine; Frank H. Shepard, manual training department, tabourette; Byers & Buhler, three pounds Tone Bros. Lespery coffee; A. Vandersloot, meat market, ten-pound pail fancy lard; Daily Tribune, year's subscription; Sawyers & Airy, three pounds Paxton & Gallagher coffee.

Maryville's Big Free Street Fair Sept. 16-21

CONVICTS REFUSED TO WORK

MUTINOUS MICHIGAN PRISONERS TO BE FLOGGED.

Severe Measures to be Used Hereafter to Preserve Discipline—Revolt is Crushed.

Jackson, Mich., Sept. 5.—Nearly 100 prisoners in the state penitentiary here have refused to go to work. They say they will die before they will lift a finger unless Warden Simpson resigns. These men will be flogged. The manner in which they will be beaten into submission has not been stated by the warden or the board of control.

Three hundred men were marched to work completely frightened by the riotous scenes when the soldiers fired two volleys to crush the mutiny. The institution was comparatively quiet, occasionally a catcall or inmate breaking the silence of the place. It required only a rebuke from a militiaman to quiet the disturber.

Those prisoners who returned to work expressed fears they would meet personal violence at the hands of the more desperate convicts. Adequate protection. The soldier-guards in the workshops stood with fixed bayonets.

Members of the board of control have determined to use the severest measures possible to preserve discipline. Gov. Osborn has urged this, saying the system of idealism and humanism has failed.

Warden Simpson said positively the mutiny had been crushed.

School books and supplies. All kinds. Hotchkiss' Variety Store.

Misses Anna and Margaret Hopper went to St. Joseph Thursday morning for a visit with their brother, Henry Hopper.

EASTMAN KODAKS and SUPPLIES at Crane's

TOWNSEND'S Friday Grocery Bargains

Be Sure to Get In on Some of the Good Ones.

6 lbs Cabbage	15c
Large Pails Lake Fish, worth \$1.00, for	65c
Bulk Salmon, per lb.	10c
Good 10c Mackerel, 3 for	20c
No. 1 Celery, 3 bunches	10c
Choice Sweet Potatoes, per lb.	5c
Pound prints Golden Rule Butterine for	20c
20c Bacon, pieces 10 to 14 lbs, lb.	15c
35c 4-seam Broom for	20c
50c and 60c Best Brooms, 2 for	75c
Carton Silent Lighter Matches (six thousand matches) for	29c
5 gallons Protection Coal Oil (at store) for	15c
2 doz Jar Tops for Mason Jars	25c
50-lb sack No. 1 Fine Salt	30c
25-lb sacks No. 1 Fine Salt	18c
5c Yeast Foam, 3 for	1b
10c pound pkgs Cow Soda, 3 for	20c
25c pkgs Gold Dust	18c
Big Ben Soap, 6 for	25c
35c sacks Graham Flour	28c
25c Uncle Sam Breakfast Food	21c
25c Postum for	20c
15c Puffed Rice	12c
10c Puffed Wheat for	8c
10c Price's Wheat Flakes	7c
10c Pancake Flour, 2 pkgs	15c
10c cans Maple Syrup	8c
25c jars best Peanut Butter	20c
4 1/2 lbs Best 25c Roasted Coffee	\$1.00
30c lb Santos Peaberry Coffee 4 lbs for	\$1.00
15c Cream of Rye (with spoon)	12c
Bulk Olives, per pint	12c
Potted Ham or Tongue, can	4c
Sweet Oranges, doz	25c
Big assortment Fruits, Vegetables, Melons, Etc., at less prices than elsewhere.	

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THE ONLY LARGE EXCLUSIVE CASH STORE IN NORTHWEST MISSOURI.

Visiting in Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Varnon and family of Galveston, Texas, arrived in Maryville Wednesday evening for a several days' visit with Mrs. Varnon's brother, Roy Collins, and Mrs. Collins.

School books and supplies. All kinds. Hotchkiss' Variety Store.

Mrs. W. A. Holliday went to Bolckow Thursday morning to attend the fair, and visit at the home of her brother, Mr. Simmons.

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MONTGOMERY & LYLE CLOTHING CO.

Specials for Friday and Saturday, Sept. 6 and 7

They are coming our way. The people have found the place where they can get the goods and save their money. So get the boys ready for school by buying their Suits of us.

\$6.50 Suits at	\$4.50
\$5.50 Suits at	\$4.00
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\$4.00 Suits at	\$3.00
All Blue Serge Suits and Pants excepted:	
Boys' \$1.50 Pants	\$1.15
Boys' \$1.00 Pants	.85c
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Yours to please	

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GIRLS! GET A 25-CENT BOTTLE OF "DANDERINE" AND TRY THIS—ALSO STOPS FALLING HAIR; DESTROYS DANDRUFF.

Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after a "Danderine hair cleanse." Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt and excessive oil and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair.

Besides beautifying the hair at once, Danderine dissolves every particle of

dandruff; cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair.

But what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use when you will actually see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair and lots of it surely get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any druggist or toilet counter, and just try it.

LIST OF TEACHERS

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Effie Richards, Skidmore, Boickow. Nora Wilson, Washington, Clyde. Madison Wilson, Lafayette, Guilford. Beulah Thompson, Lincoln, Guilford. Earl Richards, Whiteford, Barnard. Lucy Richards, Dougan, Boickow. Edith Shaver, White Hall, Boickow. Mamie Armstrong, Harmon, Barnard. Ollie Leeper, Baker, Barnard. Henry Shinnall, Common Sense, Barnard. Horace Lemaster, Singery, Barnard. Reed Council, Miller, Barnard. Anna Finkbeiner, Hayzlett, Graham. Kate McCaffrey and Louise McCann, Caleb Smith, Conception Junction.

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How do you like to be the repair man? Not a very pleasant subject. No doubt the job would ruffle your feelings as well as your clothes.

SAVE A LOT OF TROUBLE.

Bring your car to us for inspection and repairs. This will win in the long run. Have you ever tried our repair service? You will find quick action and low prices.

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Good Farm for Sale

I offer for sale the John McDowell farm lying 1 mile north of Maryville, consisting of 243 acres, all suitable for cultivation. Has several good wells, a fine spring, good eight room house, large barn and good fencing. Is 1/4 of a mile from school house. Must be sold to close up an estate, will make good price and carry good loan on place. Inquire of **SARAH McDOWELL**, 304 West 12th St., Maryville, Mo.

LIVED A WEEK ON BREAKFAST FOOD

Five Missouri Families Starved to Help Charity.

STRANDED DRUMMER STARTED IT

Broke, He Sold Shipment of 500 Packages—High Cost of Living Was Reduced—One Says Third Day Was "Terrible."

Princeton, Mo., Sept. 5.—Five families of this town have gained a lap on the high cost of living as a result of a charity week organization here by the Helping Hand society recently. The weekly expense has been reduced on an average of 30 cents per person. The undertaking netted \$56.54, for the relief of the poor next winter.

The answer to the riddle was easy—breakfast food. Breakfast, dinner, supper, and in between times these five Princeton families—the head of one is a wealthy real estate dealer and all are considered well-to-do, ate nothing else—cream, sugar and breakfast food. And the difference between it and the old cost, which included potatoes, corn, bread, chickens, salads, jellies, marmalades, and the other delicacies of a country town, was charity's reward.

How It Started.

The experiment started shortly after a stranded grocery drummer came here. He was without expense money, but he had a shipment of 500 packages of breakfast food—ten cents a package. He offered the society one cent for each package it would sell and an additional bonus of \$1.50 per hundred. This gave an idea to Miss Lois Cockrell, secretary, and she proposed the trial of the food as a steady diet for one week. Five families, each of them members of the society, pledged themselves to eat nothing else during the entire week. Strict account was to be kept of the saving over the old plan.

Girls Sold 384 Packages.

At the same time eight high school girls were sent over town selling the food to housewives. The girls, led by Miss Bess McBeath and Miss Florence Fuller sold 384 packages, which netted \$9.60 to the charity fund.

The figures turned in are startling: Schuyler King and his family of five had been spending \$10.75 a week. Breakfast food cut it \$1.40.

A. W. Clements' family of six reduced from \$1.75 a day to 26 1/2 cents a day.

The family of J. R. Gardiner, three in number, used to spend \$9.50 each week. Their bill was 91 cents.

W. R. Pickens, with a family of four, cut from \$10 a week to \$1.40.

Miss Cockrell's figures on their family of five showed a saving of \$10.

The five families, totalling 23 persons, saved, during the week, \$46.94.

No Work for Mother.

"The first day everything was lovely," said Mr. King. "The second day I rather missed my wife's good cooking. The next day it was terrible. That must have been the crisis, because during the four remaining days I grew more and more contented. My wife liked it—it wasn't any trouble."

TURKS FIRE ON AMERICAN YACHT

Porty of Pleasure Tourists Stopped Near Constantinople—Proceeded With Turkish Pilot.

Boston, Sept. 5.—A yacht flying the United States flag and having 40 Americans aboard was fired upon by a Turkish fort in the Dardanelles according to reports just brought here by passengers on the steamer Manitou from Antwerp. According to Miss Gertrude L. Carey and her niece, Miss Gertrude Barnes of Duluth, who were on the yacht, no official report of the occurrence was made, as the party did not wish to be delayed.

The yacht was chartered by a tourist agency and was bound from Athens to Constantinople. Near Constantinople a fort fired twice across the bows, in answer to which the American flag was run to the fore truck.

Despite this display of the colors, a shot was dropped within a few yards of the yacht. Officers examined the yacht and, placing a Turkish officer and pilot aboard, allowed the vessel to proceed.

Aaron Watkins Is Notified.

Ada, Ohio, Sept. 5.—In this, his home city and the seat of Ohio Northern university with which he was so long connected, Aaron S. Watkins was today notified of his nomination for the vice-presidency by the national convention of the Prohibition party. Many Prohibition party leaders from various parts of the United States were present. Clinton N. Howard was chairman of the notification committee and delivered a lively speech, in response to which Mr. Watkins made his address of acceptance.

Socialists Missed Kaiser.

Zurich, Sept. 5.—For blessing the Kaiser, who is here to see the Swiss army maneuvers, two Italian Socialists were arrested and will be held for disorderly conduct until after his majesty's departure and then probably freed. The authorities are much worried concerning the German ruler's safety.

PUT FULL STATE TICKET IN FIELD

Progressive Convention at St. Louis Rejects Fusion.

JUDGE NORTONI FOR GOVERNOR

Nearly All Nominations Made by Acclamation—New Party Candidates Nearly All Young Men.

The Progressive State Ticket. Governor—Albert D. Norton of St. Louis. Lieutenant-Governor—J. M. Burrus of Kansas City. Secretary of State—Frederick W. Neidermeyer of Columbia. Attorney General—Arthur M. Hyde of Princeton. State Auditor—J. A. G. Reynolds of Ava. State Treasurer—John Hall of Joplin. Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner—John W. McCoy of Kansas City. Supreme Court—Richard N. Dalton of Hannibal, Ford W. Thompson of St. Louis, Frank L. Arthur of Chillicothe, Kansas City Court of Appeals—J. P. Burney of Kansas City. Springfield Court of Appeals—John H. McCammon of Springfield, M. E. Morrow of West Plains, John H. Spurgeon of Joplin. St. Louis Court of Appeals—Paul V. Janis of St. Louis.

St. Louis, Sept. 5.—Rejecting any suggestion of fusion with either of the old parties, the Progressives of Missouri in their state convention named a straight third party ticket from top to bottom.

The ticket is composed largely of active, alert young men, the only exception to the rule of the young men being the nomination of Richard N. Dalton for one of the judges of the supreme court and J. M. Burrus for lieutenant governor.

Practically every nomination was made by acclamation or on the first ballot.

The ticket itself is composed of candidates who have not been practical politicians.

Demonstration for Norton.

The big feature of the session was the nomination of Judge Albert D. Norton for governor. All the delegates knew it was going to happen and Judge Norton had presided over the convention until noon as temporary chairman.

The delegates knew him and had become accustomed to his appearance before them, but when at last he was placed in nomination and became the candidate of the new party for governor it was an impressive scene. A stirring demonstration was accorded him, for the delegates realized that Judge Norton was accepting the nomination purely as a matter of devotion to the Progressive movement.

Almost equally interesting was the nomination of Capt. J. M. Burrus for lieutenant governor. Many candidates had been suggested for the position, but Mr. Burrus' name had not been mentioned.

Veterans Cheered Burrus.

When he was placed in nomination as a former Democrat and a soldier who had worn the gray, but who had been one of the first to join the Progressive party, the delegates stood on their feet and cheered. Capt. J. M. London, a soldier of the blue, and other old veterans, who opposed to 1891-65, rushed to the platform to see this nomination.

A lively contest took place for state treasurer. F. E. Miller of Springfield, John Hall of Joplin and George Meyer of St. Louis were nominated. Before the vote was taken Meyer withdrew and the race was between Hall and Miller. The vote was 883 for Hall to 71 for Miller.

All the defeated candidates took their defeat in the best spirit and congratulated their opponents. The convention was in the best humor possible, notwithstanding the stifling heat. Its work was not completed until late in the evening, but the delegates stayed until the chairman's gavel fell at the final adjournment.

ASK PERMIT TO BUILD IN KANSAS

Missouri, Oklahoma & Gulf Railroad Wants to Complete Road Through State.

Topeka, Sept. 5.—The Missouri, Oklahoma & Gulf, the new railroad William Kenefick is building, applied to the Kansas utilities commission for a certificate to permit the road to build into Kansas.

The road is completed from Wagoner, Ok., to Sherman, Tex., and the grading is being done from Wagoner north to the Kansas line.

The line is located from Baxter Springs to Crestline, Kas., and the company desires to begin work in Kansas this month.

The surveyors are at work running the line from Crestline to Pittsburg and Fort Scott. The commission took the granting of the certificate under advisement.

Fulton Editor Marries.

Fulton, Mo., Sept. 5.—Ovid Bell, president of the Missouri Press Association and editor of the "Fulton Gazette," and Miss Maudie Hall were married at the home of the bride in Rochepot, Mo. They have gone to the Wisconsin lakes on a honeymoon trip.

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When they're apt to get up close, slip in a Remington-UMC Scatterload— and make your choke bore gun good in brush or thicket.

Arrow and Nitro Club steel lined scatterload shot shells open up your pattern so evenly that your bird can neither get too much nor too little.

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Practical and thorough courses in Piano, Voice, Violin, Harmony, Counterpoint and History of Music. All class subjects will organize next week. Send for catalog to

P. O. Landon, Director

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Vote for your favorite for Fairy Queen.

NAME _____ AGE _____

(Each coupon counts 100 votes. No person is entitled to more than one vote. The girl voted for must not be under 8 years nor over 12 years. Seal coupon in envelope and drop in a box at Mark Turner's store or mail to W. M. Oakerson. The girl receiving highest number of votes will be Fairy Queen, the seven girls receiving next highest number of votes will be Maids of Honor.)

PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at public auction at the late G. W. Wood farm, 4 miles east and 1 1/4 miles north of Skidmore, commencing at 10 o'clock on **Monday, September 9, 1912**

the following property:

4 Head of Horses—Gray mare 6 years old, black mare 2 years old, smooth mouth bay mare, smooth mouth bay horse. Six Cows and Calves—Black milch cow 5 years old, red cow 5 years old, heifer 2 years old, 3 sucking calves. 15 Head of Hogs, and one male hog. Ten tons hay; 100 hedge posts. Farm Implements—New top buggy, wagon, spring wagon, set harness, saddle, hay rake, harrow, stalk cutter, lister and two drills, go devil, stirring plow, hay frame. Household and kitchen furniture.

TERMS—All sums of \$10 and under cash, over that amount a credit of 6 months will be given, purchaser giving bankable note with 8 per cent interest from date. Lunch on grounds. R. P. Hosmer, Auct. **Willard Wood, Admr.** H. W. Montgomery, Clerk.

\$7.10 Special Excursion Rates (On Certificate Plan)

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To Shelbina, Mo., and return around Missouri Conference of the M. E. church, September 4-9, 1912—tickets on sale Aug 31 to Sept. 6, 1912 final return limit Sept. 10, 1912.

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E. L. Ferritor, Agent

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Do not take your harvest money home with you. There are thousands of thefts of money every year that is kept in this way. Put your harvest money in this bank--withdraw it when you please.

Start an account like all the other farmers who have made successes in this world. Commence today--here.

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CLOSING OUT SALE

Having sold my farm I will sell at my place, known as the Dan Jones farm, six and a half miles south and one-half mile west of Maryville, on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10th, 1912

The following property:

150—Head of Stock Cattle—150

70 yearling heifers, 20 yearling steers, 50 head of steer and heifer calves. These cattle are all natives in good flesh and are a choice lot.

90—Head of Hogs—90

25 fall shoats, 55 spring pigs, 10 head of high grade Duroc brood sows, 6 to farrow this fall.

1 Roan Mare and Colt

FARM IMPLEMENTS—Plows, cultivators, harrows, disc, in fact a full line of farming utensils.

TERMS—\$10.00 and under cash; over that amount a credit of three, six and nine months' time on a bankable note, bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

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S. H. Kemp, Clerk.

Robt. D. Miller

Hosmer's Monthly Stock Sale

Gray's Pavilion

Saturday, September 7, 1912

40 Head of Steer Calves—This is an extra good lot and the right kind for true. 20 Head of Horses and Mules—Drivers, drafters and farm chunks. What do you want to sell? List it now.

R. P. HOSMER, "The Auctioneer"

Dental Office Closed

I will be out of town from Sept. 2 to 16, and my office will be closed.

Jesse Miller.

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STORY DECLINED; AUTHOR ACCEPTED

Editor Proves to Be a Woman and Cupid Does the Rest.

By CLYDE JOHNSON.

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Charles Worthington Rankin had arrived at years of discretion without having selected any particular avocation. He was fairly well off, and there was no need to hurry.

Mr. Rankin had sometimes thought of becoming a doctor, but was discouraged when he realized that he might be called out of bed at 1 o'clock in the morning to saw off some man's leg.

The legal profession, mingled more or less with real estate, insurance, politics, promotion trusteeship, receivership and advising corporations how to break the law, offered certain attractions, but Mr. Rankin had seen lawyers perspire when addressing a jury, and he did hate to perspire.

There was painting, but landscape artists, as he had been reliably informed, had to keep the books for some grocery at night to eke out an existence.

If Mr. Rankin should turn to sculpture there were the clay and the stone dust, to soil his cuffs, and even if he brought out a statue of Columbus the daily papers might call it Captain Kidd.

It took Mr. Rankin a long, long time to make up his mind, and then the decision was the result of accident. He dropped in on an assemblage one day that had gathered to honor a young literary man, and when he saw the admiration and heard the adulations bestowed he whispered to himself:

"By George, but I've struck it! Nice easy work and nothing driving about it. All you've got to do is to sit down in your library and think, and then write what you've been thinking about."

Mr. Rankin walked right out of that place and bought him the necessary tools to begin and complete a story that should be a wonder. He did not make the error that so many amateur



The Third Time to Read It.

writers make, of going to or writing to successful authors and asking them how they did it. He didn't care a red cent how they got their plots or worked up their situations. His story would be his own in every particular.

And another thing worth recording in Mr. Rankin's favor is the fact that after he had got his plot, laid his situations, named the day and hour, and had his hero in hiding behind a brick pile, he didn't take the two pages of manuscript to this one and that one, and ask them how they thought the story would work out.

No, Sir and no Ma'am! Mr. Rankin didn't care a peanut for the opinions of others on that particular line of work. Had he been going to open a sandstone quarry for the production and sale of grindstones, it would have been different, but in this he was right at home. He felt it from the very first line he wrote. It was to be a serial for a magazine. When finished, after seven long weeks of work—which of itself was a great surprise to his friends—the story came to an end, and the author read it over with glowing self-satisfaction. Then it was sent off to the magazine he had selected, and Mr. Rankin and divers other persons held their breath and walked around on tip-toes.

Mr. Rankin figured that it would be at least a month before his check came and the date of the beginning of the serial would be announced. He was out in his figuring. No one can ever get a close line on those magazine editors. That's why authors continue to revel in poverty. On the fifth day the story was returned with the usual printed prescription. An author who has never received one of these printed slips should be told that they are a half-sheet of fairly good linen paper on which is printed in fairly good English the announcement that after having read every last word of the story the writer was so kind and considerate and overlastingly obliging to forward to that publication instead

of the Congressional Record—after it had been perused by the stenographer, all the typists, the cashier, the book-keeper and the office boy—after having been submitted to the X-ray and a chemical analysis, that editor is convinced that it is one of the great stories of the century, but as his two children are down with the measles he must decline with thanks.

Mr. Rankin read this prescription with amazement. Then he read it with anger. The third time he read it he used cuss-words for punctuation marks and then stood up to say:

"The ignoramus! Why, that editor doesn't know enough to edit a sand-pile, and I'll write and tell him so!"

Mr. Rankin carried out his threat. He had an epistle in the mail-box within the hour that was warranted to make the editorial hair curl and kink. The policy of the magazine editor is never to strike back nor make personal explanations. When he has handed a manuscript to the office boy to be returned to the author that is the end of the affair, except in rare instances. This was a rare instance. J. A. Bennett wrote back that the manuscript had been declined because of its length.

Mr. Rankin pointed out the fact that the magazine had printed four longer ones within the year.

J. A. Bennett wrote that the situations were overdrawn and impossible. Mr. Rankin pointed out the fact that he had his heroine climbing an iceberg as she sat in the saddle of her broncho, and that the fact was neither unnatural nor impossible. The women of the far west were performing the feat every day.

J. A. Bennett wrote that a great deal of profanity had been introduced into the conversations, and every reader must be more or less shocked. He even had his heroine exclaim: "Damn it!"

Mr. Rankin replied that this was the age of profanity. The trusts had set everybody to swearing, and profanity was on the increase, and the only recourse the public had. As for his heroine, she was a strong character to begin with, and in the second place she had found herself lost on the plains just as night and a blizzard and a band of hostile Indians were approaching. Under those circumstances should a heroine exclaim: "O, fudge!"

J. A. Bennett said that so many grammatical errors were found in the story that it would have to be largely overhauled.

Mr. Rankin replied that he was a graduate of Yale, and that if he couldn't demonstrate in public or private that he knew more about grammar in a minute than J. A. B. did in a week he would eat his hat.

J. A. B. then pointed out that the discussion was closed.

Mr. Rankin replied that the other had best look for a job of sawing wood, and that if he ever ran across him he would take great pleasure in punching his head.

A week later J. A. Bennett went to the country on a fortnight's vacation. Mr. Rankin was only a day later in starting. Fate planned that they should both select the same hotel. Fate planned that on the third day after Mr. Rankin's arrival he should go canoeing on the river. He knew his craft and was safe. Some one else went canoeing at the same time that didn't understand the fads and fancies of that make of craft. It was a young woman, and she had only reached the deepest spot for a mile up and down when over went the canoe. Mr. Rankin heard her screams and arrived at the spot in prompt time. She was resting on the bottom, but he dove and found her, and she was carried to the hotel to be revived. Some one told him that it was a Miss Bennett, and that's all he knew about her 'till the next day, when she sent for him to express her gratitude.

Miss Bennett was a little draggy yet, but able to praise Mr. Rankin as a great hero. She surely owed her life to him, and she couldn't find words to tell her feelings.

"And by the way," she smiled, "are you any relation to Mr. Charles Worthington Rankin?"

"Why, I am he!"

A terrible pause ensued and then he asked:

"Can you be related to J. A. Bennett?"

"Why, I am she!"

At least half the magazines have women to read and pass on contributions, and they always sign their names to mislead as to sex.

Did Mr. Rankin punch J. A. B.'s head? Oh, no. He began to admire instead, and in three days he knew that he was in love. He had saved her life. Why shouldn't she admire and love in turn? She won't be a story-reader much longer, and he has already decided that as a story writer he is not a success.

Women and the Farm.

It is not so much because the farmer's boys sought the cities as because his daughters refused to stay on the farm that the rural population has dwindled. At least, the council of the National Bankers' association, in session in Westchester last week, came to the conclusion that the greatest drawback to inducing men to undertake farm work lies in the objections made to it by the women folk. The work in farm households is undeniably heavy. One remedy proposed, and already in operation in some of the western states, is a co-operative chain of laundries. They carry off the week's wash and return it at trivial cost—ten cents is the carrying charge, according to report—thus saving one day's hard labor for the women.—New York Times.

MRS. MCGILL BROKE DOWN

Gives the Real Facts In Regard to Her Case and Tells How She Suffered.

Jonesboro, Ark.—"I suffered a complete break down in health, some time ago," writes Mrs. A. McGill, from this place. "I was very weak and could not do any work. I tried different remedies, but they did me no good. One day, I got a bottle of Cardui. It did me so much good, I was surprised, and took some more."

Before I took Cardui, I had headache and backache, and sometimes I would cry for hours. Now I am over all that, and can do all kinds of housework. I think it is the greatest medicine on earth."

In the past fifty years, thousands of ladies have written, like Mrs. McGill, to tell of the benefit received from Cardui.

Such testimony, from earnest women, surely indicates the great value of this tonic remedy, for diseases peculiar to women. Are you a sufferer? Yes? Cardui is the medicine you need. We urge you to try it.

N. B.—Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

WILL NOT ACCEPT NOMINATION.

F. P. Robinson Said in Telephone Communication That He Would Not Be Candidate.

The report comes that F. P. Robinson, who is attending the state fair at Lincoln, Neb., this week, told Nat Sisson, who was in St. Louis Wednesday attending the Progressive state convention that he could not accept the nomination for congress from the Fourth district. Mr. Robinson was nominated Wednesday at the district meeting held before the state convention. Mr. Sisson called Mr. Robinson up over the telephone from St. Louis.

Mr. Sisson did not return home with the delegates that attended that convention. He went from St. Louis to Columbus, Oo., on a visit to his sister.

Mrs. Rebecca Jones of Rochester, Mo., arrived Thursday to join her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. R. Conway of Savannah, on a visit at the home of Mrs. Conway's son, J. D. Conway, living three miles southwest of Maryville.

To Hold Market Saturday.

The W. R. C. will hold a market Saturday, commencing at 9 o'clock, at Price & McNeal's furniture store on South Main street.

Protection from loss by windstorms, fire or lightning is business, either in country or city. You owe it to yourself and family. Consult me now for special rates and terms, or phone me and I will call.

CHARLES HYSLOP,
General Agent.

Miss Margaret Stafford went to St. Joseph Thursday morning to continue her work as a teacher in the public schools of that city.

Normal Supplies, special prices at Crane's

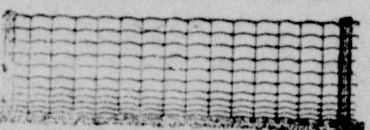
Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Roelofson went to Bolckow Thursday morning to attend the fair.

Mrs. Cavanaugh returned Thursday from a three weeks' visit with her daughters in Kansas City.

School books and supplies. All kinds. Hotchkiss' Variety Store.

Miss Jennie Collins went to the Bolckow fair Thursday morning.

AMERICAN FENCE



Made of large, strong, high-grade steel wire. Best Fence in the world. Sold and guaranteed by

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Special Low Prices
On all fresh cut flowers
Saturday, Sept. 7

The Engelmann Greenhouses
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WANTS

Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (18 words) three days for 25 cents. For ads larger than three lines one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 18. Cash must accompany order for these small amounts.

WANTED—Girl at Maryville Steam Laundry. 2-11

WANTED—Good violin. Must be cheap for cash. Inquire this office. 4-6

WANTED—A girl to learn the millinery trade. Inquire at this office. 4-6

WANTED—Boy for paper route. City Newsstand. W. G. A. Edwards, agent. 5-7

FOR RENT—Rooms for light house-keeping, close in. 314 East Fourth. Farmers phone 62.

BOY WANTED—To learn trade. Must be 16 years old and have fair education. Apply at this office.

"For Sale," "For Rent" and "Room" for rent" cards at this office, only 10 cents each.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Tents, camp stools and cots, picnic plates, knives and forks. Mark's 5 and 10c store.

FOR SALE—Heavy manilla wrapping paper, 50x30 inches, 5c the sheet. Democrat-Forum job office. 16-11

WANTED—25 good laborers at government building in the morning. J. R. Edwards, superintendent. 5-7

FOR SALE—Modern 6-room house and 3 acres on Prather avenue. See Mrs. W. H. Davenport at Logan Holt's. 6-6

FOR SALE—Small herd Aberdeen Angus cattle, team of horses, 2 and 3 years old, and a large team of 4-year-old horses. Mason & Wilderman. 9-11

FOR SALE—Nice fresh onions. Get your fall and winter supply now. Prices 50 cents to \$1 per bushel. Geo. Greenon, R. 7, Maryville. Farmers phone 15-18. 5-12

FOR SALE—Slipshy shaves, 10c; hair cuts 20c; massages, 15c; shampoo, 15c; bath, 15c. Protzmans, barbers, under Montgomery shoe store. 4-10

FOR RENT—Three large, well lighted rooms. Electric lights and bath. Reference required. Inquire Mrs. William Armstrong, 404 East First. 1-11

FOR SALE—Hard coal base burner in good condition. Also coal oil stove, practically new. Call on Frank Knabb, Maryville, or phone C. L. Evans at Bedison. 4-6

INSURE with Hyslop. Fire tornado (farm or city), plate glass, automobile liability, accident or damaged health. Contract and court bonds promptly executed.

FOR SALE—One 25-horse power plowing and threshing engine, nearly new; one 8-year-old stallion, 1,600 pounds; one fine jack, 2 years old, 14½ hands high. Must sell at once. Small amount cash, balance time. J. H. Beals, Newberry, Mo. 3-oct3

FOR SALE

One four-row McCormick corn shredder, almost new, at less than one-half price.

WRAY & MILLER,
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SPECIALIST.

Practice limited to diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, and general consultation. All phones. Office hours, 9 to 11 a. m.; 2 to 4 p. m.

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We Never Sleep.

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Architect and General Contractor
Wants to draw your plans and build your house. Make your new screens or repair your old ones. All work done by first class workmen. Call Hanamo 268.

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Piano Tuning and Repairing. Graduate Tuner with factory experience. Best of references. Prices reasonable. All work guaranteed. Phone Bell 340 or leave orders Field-Lippman Music Co.

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Plumbing & Heating

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216 East Third Street

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LIST OF TEACHERS

THE RURAL SCHOOLS ARE OPEN
AND THE SCHOOL MA'AM BUST

LOTS OF KIDS ON HAND

One Hundred and Seventy-Five
Schools in Nodaway County and a
Few Abandoned Districts.

The rural schools over the county, and many of the schools in the towns, opened Monday, and there was a big attendance of pupils on hand for the first day. There are 181 school districts in the county, but there are only 175 schools, as some of the school districts have been abandoned. Two districts—No. 14 and the Fannon district—have been taken in by other school districts. Four districts—Champion Hill, Central, Lone Valley and Peace and Harmony—have been abandoned on account of the small enumeration, and the pupils in these districts are attending the neighboring schools this year.

The following are the names of the teachers of the rural schools over the county, the school they are teaching and the postoffice address:

Bertha Campbell, Risser school, Sheridan.
Orpho Glass, Foster, Sheridan.
Bessie Dinsmore, Maple Grove, Parnell.
Mrs. Myrtle Pierce, Unity, Hopkins.
Beula Russell, Prairie Star, Hopkins.
Effie A. Henderson, Plum Grove, Clearmont.
Lois VanBuren, Lone Elm, Clearmont.
Ada Williams, Lily White, Clearmont.
Leatha Hutchison, White Chapel, Bradyville.
Margaret Hopper, Mt. Tabor, Elmo.
Anna Huff, North Prairie, Elmo.
Jane Salmond, North Grove, Elmo.
Cora Craver, Union Grove, Elmo.
Rucia Allen, Maple Grove, Clearmont.
Eva E. Loomis, Hickory Grove, Clearmont.
Edith Graybill, Independence, Hopkins.
May Grouner, Highland, Maryville.
Bernice Wells, Excelsior, Hopkins.
Bess M. Burch, Fairview, Hopkins.
Austie Cowen, Prairie Flower, Hopkins.
Cecil Bayless, Mt. Vernon, Hopkins.
Hattie Lawler, Lone Star, Sheridan.
J. M. Hook, Luteston, Sheridan.
Ethel Brown, Star of the West, Sheridan.
Blanche Bloomfield, Oak Grove, Parnell.
Euphania Hefflin, Independence, Parnell.
Dollie Dinsmore, Happy Hollow, Parnell.
Grace Lewis, Xenia, Hopkins.
Low Snodgrass, White Cloud, Hopkins.
Jennie Ringold, Clyde, Hopkins.
Clara Neff, Prairie View, Clearmont.
Hazel V. Hopper, Hazel Dell, Clearmont.
Lorel Livengood, Cottonwood, Elmo.
Blanche Williams, Possumwalk, Burlington Junction.
Ruth Lowry, Salem, Elmo.
Emma Robinson, High Prairie, Elmo.
Neomi Horn, Loraine, Burlington Junction.
Clara Davenport, Dawson, Burlington Junction.
Ethel L. Bush, Little Brick, Burlington Junction.
Mona Hooser, Evans, Maryville.
Mary B. Carter, Hedge College, Burlington Junction.
Dora Smith, Toad Hollow, Wilcox.
Leatha Patterson, Sunrise, Maryville.
Gladys V. McKee, Glendale, Pickering.
J. F. Clayton, Mowery, Pickering.
Myra Partridge, Bloomdale, Maryville.
Harry Lett, Hopkins, Mozingo Valley.
Edna King, Snow Ball, Parnell.
Vernando Hefflin, Logan, Parnell.
Lura Brown, Bunker Hill, Parnell.
Della Miller, Elm Grove, Parnell.
Elva Hefflin, Common Sense, Parnell.
Leila Oliphant, Long Branch, Pickering.
W. H. Burr, Excelsior, Maryville.

Clemma McGuire, Myrtle Tree, Maryville.
Nellie Nunneley, Bloomfield, Pickering.
Esther Neal, Lock, Maryville.
Sarah McGettigan, Olwell, Maryville.
Lapensa Amrini, Ireland, Maryville.
Florence Lawson, Mt. Vernon, Maryville.
Dora Parks, Guthrie, Burlington Junction.
Mabel Carver, Hardisty, Burlington Junction.
Gertrude Peters, Pleasant Valley, Burlington Junction.
Audrey Broyles, Hagey, Burlington Junction.
Vera Rodman, Butler, Burlington Junction.
Edith Collins, Pifer, Skidmore.
Maybird Carver, Star, Burlington Junction.
Vesper Nicholas, Carter, Burlington Junction.
Nettie Jensen, Wilcox, Maryville.
Mary L. Watson, Knabb, Maryville.
Grace Fisher, Herron, Maryville.
Ruby Ruddell, Elm Grove, Maryville.
Mary Fordyce, Union, Maryville.
Emma Starr, Highland, Maryville.
Nellie McKnight, Casteel, Maryville.
Ada Dinsmore, Champaign, Ravenwood.
Eunice Skinner, Wilcox, Parnell.
Eugen. Larmer, Morning View, Ravenwood.
Leland Richards, Munkers, Ravenwood.
Kathryn Sweeney, Sweet Home, Ravenwood.
Maggie Sweeney, Hickory Hill, Ravenwood.
Mildred Adams, Pioneer, Ravenwood.
Myriel Gates, Gallagher, Ravenwood.
Edith Marsh, Douglas, Maryville.
Bernice McGinniss, Council Corner, Maryville.
Eva Whitehead, Garrett, Maryville.
Homer A. Neff, Lasher, Maryville.
Nora Felix, Shell Grove, Wilcox.
Dollie Highbanks, Royster, Quitman.
Mrs. Ella Hale, Quitman, Quitman.
Eliza Hise, Carden, Quitman.
Mabel Palmer, New Hope, Quitman.
Maud Marquis, Eureka, Skidmore.
Nita Strickler, Mt. Vernon, Skidmore.
Katie Rodman, Albright, Skidmore.
Lora Stultz, Tarpley, Skidmore.
Luta Moody, Pleasant Hill, Maryville.
Elizabeth O'Riley, GHI, Quitman.
Hazel Masters, Rockford, Maryville.
Golda Roach, Bell Grove, Maryville.
Frances Floyd, Martha Washington, Maryville.
Ora Willcox, Mt. Ayr, Maryville.
May Evans, Bedison, Bedison.
Mae Allen, Bristle Ridge, Clyde.
Golden Wells, Diamond Branch, Ravenwood.
Jennie M. Nelson, Fryar, Ravenwood.
Maude Winslow, LaBelle, Ravenwood.
Margaret McCann, North Wildcat, Ravenwood.
Margaret Concoran, Hazel Grove, Conception Junction.
Ruth Hobbs, Swinford, Clyde.
Roxie Wilson, Rose Hill, Gulford.
Cordon Vickery, Jones Branch, Arkoe.
Florence Shipp, Scudder, Maryville.
Grace Pugh, Swallow, Maryville.
Rose Shinabargar, Highland, Maryville.
Wh. F. Wingrey, Eastern Star, Graham.
Violet O'Riley, Union Star, Skidmore.
Mayne Hefflin, Union Valley, Skidmore.
Anna Craytor, Scrub Oak, Skidmore.
Laura Pugh, Burr Oak Grove, Skidmore.
Byron M. Hanna, Goodwill, Skidmore.
Alfred Walton, Liberty, Skidmore.
Olva Ramsey, Elm Grove, Graham.
Zella Barton, Morgan, Skidmore.
Pearl Carver, Blackman, Maryville.
Edith Davenport, Arkoe, Arkoe.
Lizzie Tanner, Black Oak, Barnard.
Samuel Chambers, Fox, Barnard.
Golda Wohlford, Jefferson, Barnard.
Nona L. Donahue, Green, Clyde.
Sr. M. Mechtide, Old Conception, Conception.
Sr. M. Maura, South Wildcat, Clyde.
Rose Schiefelbusch, McCann, Clyde.
W. E. Brittain, Pleasant View, Guilford.
Otha Rimel, White Oak Grove, Clyde.
Curtis Robinson, Liberty, Barnard.
Mattie Wilson, Fairview, Barnard.
Opha Crawford, Davis, Barnard.
Belle Collins, Trego, Barnard.
Hazel Noblet, Lyle, Barnard.
Lucy Black, Stark, Graham.
Nellie Banister, Hazel Dell, Graham.
Myrtle Rasnic, Barnes, Barnard.
A. S. Blagg, Maple Grove, Barnard.

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WILL NOT ACCEPT THEY'RE ON A HIKE

JUDGE ALDERMAN DECLINES THE
BULL MOOSE NOMINATION.

STILL LOYAL TO CAUSE WALK 16 MILS A DAY

But Does Not Want Nomination for
Office—Money Threatens Existence of Government by People.

Another candidate that was nominated Saturday on the Bull Moose county ticket has declined to accept the nomination. It is Judge Ira K. Alderman of this city, who was selected as the party's candidate for public administrator. Judge Alderman was a candidate on the Republican ticket before the primary, but on the day before the primary election withdrew from that ticket, saying he was a Bull Moose.

The withdrawal of Judge Alderman from the Bull Moose ticket is the second one. F. L. Flynt, who was nominated for county surveyor, withdrew the first of the week. It seems that no one wants to run on the Bull Moose ticket except the Republican candidates.

A copy of Judge Alderman's letter to W. W. Glass, chairman of the county Progressive committee, was given to this paper, and is as follows:

Mr. W. W. Glass, Chairman Progressive County Committee, Maryville, Mo.: Dear Sir—Being advised (informally) that I was nominated to the office of public administrator by the Progressive county convention in this city last Saturday, the 31st of August, though not ungrateful of the honor tendered me, I am hereby handing you my withdrawal from, or resignation as nominee.

I am doing so at this early date, that your committee may promptly supply the vacancy.

I had occupied a seat in the convention up to a few minutes before the nomination occurred, but had a right to not expect mention of my name for the office, from the fact I had repeatedly advised friends who had suggested it to me I could not consent to use my name as a candidate for any office. I do not feel that I could consistently do my share of carrying forward your ticket that belongs to a candidate, and with less consistency permit it to be done by others.

I trust I may be permitted to add that this action must not be taken as indicating my want of personal interest in or loyalty to the cause of the Progressive party. Hence I now assure your committee that any duty within my ability to perform in furtherance of our cause that I can with consistency in at your service, for I shall only be happy to show forth my loyalty to the great statesmen that head our ticket, Roosevelt and Johnson, which, in my case, can best be shown as a private in the ranks.

It seems to me that encouragement adds to encouragement daily. The bitterness of hate, jealousy and envy already the principal stock in hand by the oligarchy that assumes governmental functions through the political parties they control, in personal attacks against one of the manliest of men, Theodore Roosevelt, principally founded on mere hearsay and fattered by the incredibles of most unsavory standing before the people, gives clearest proof that the foes of progressive reforms are hopeless and forlorn, having nothing to offer constructively, they propose to destroy.

I have seen no clearer statement of real conditions confronting our electorate everywhere that has so aroused the conscience of the American citizenship, regardless of former party affiliations, giving rise to the great movement against corruption in public life than these words from a cabinet officer, saying: "Today government by money threatens the very existence of government by the people."

That is the real issue—shall the people rule?

Win or lose this campaign the Progressive movement must as surely succeed as that right must triumph.

Sincerely and truly yours,
IRA K. ALDERMAN.

Meetings Are Successful.

The revival meetings in progress this week at the Mt. Ayr Methodist church, east of Maryville, are very successful. Rev. W. B. Royston of Barnard, the pastor of that church, is conducting these services, and on Monday night he had three conversions, on Tuesday night, two conversions, and on Wednesday night four conversions.

MOTHER AND DAUGHTER ON A WALKING TRIP TO DENISON, TEX.

They Will Visit a Number of Friends
on the Way and Expect to Complete Round Trip in 3 Months.

Maryville people are getting used to seeing tourists passing through the city, auto tourists, mostly, in all sorts of cars, from the finest equipment to the simplest, and from all parts of the country. The motorcycle tourist is an ordinary sight, too, and once in a while we see travelers by wagon going to some distant point, and once in a great long while we see an old prairie schooner going along.

But Wednesday evening about 5 o'clock an entirely new kind of travelers came into town. Real pedestrians they were, and girls at that, too.

Everybody who saw them knew they were out for a long hike, because they were hot and dusty, but not tired looking, for they are entirely fit for the long walk they have started on—from Ft. Des Moines, Ia., to Denison, Texas.

The travelers are Mrs. C. C. Reed and her daughter, Miss Leone Winans, of Ft. Des Moines, Ia. Mrs. Reed is the wife of the proprietor of the drug store at Ft. Des Moines.

They started on their long pleasure trip, for such it is, Tuesday morning, August 29, and at the end of their nine-day walk into Maryville Wednesday evening they had traveled 140 miles, averaging sixteen miles and a fraction each day.

They walked along the Great Western tracks out of Fort Des Moines until they came to the Blue Grass automobile trail which they followed to Creston, when they struck the Saints Highway and will follow it to Kansas City.

Mrs. Reed is a little, nice looking woman, 5 feet and 1 inch tall and weighing 121 pounds. She was 34 years old Monday, but does not look it by ten years. Her daughter is 5 feet 4 inches tall and weighs 98 pounds. She is a slight, fair girl, light brown hair and blue eyes. The mother has almost black hair and blue eyes. Both are good appearing and have a nice friendly way.

They are dressed alike, with brown wash silk waists, short sleeves and round collar, dark brown wool skirts to their shoe tops, buckskin walking boots and soft white linen hats. They carry black oilcloth knapsacks, each containing underwear, a sweater and a rain coat, and a combined knife, fork and spoon, and a revolver.

"But," said Mrs. Reed, "we do not expect to have to use the revolver. We are treated so nice wherever we are."

"It is our intention to always stop in town over night. We miscalculated the other day and were caught at dark at a farm house five miles this side of Lenox. We asked if we could stop for the night and were cordially invited to do so before they could even see what we looked like. When we went in we found ourselves in a veritable palace of a country home. And how they did treat us. Gave us their guest chamber with private bath and all. If we had been queens in royal robes they could not have treated us better. Shuts was their name. We shall never forget them."

"No, my husband did not want me to take this trip this way, but I have been at him for years to let me do it, so he at last consented. He cannot understand why I want to walk. He stays in the store from early morning till late at night, and couldn't walk two miles if he had to. I was raised on a farm and must have exercise or I'll die. I help him in the store and I wanted this trip for a vacation. We will be gone three months and will ride home."

In Kansas City, Mo., they will stop to visit Mrs. William Fisher; in Kansas City, Kan., Mrs. Sarah Kail, at 23 Boeke street, and at Junction City, Kan., with Mrs. Leona Wagner. They will then start on their tramp to Oklahoma to visit two of Mrs. Reed's sisters, Mrs. R. M. Davis of Stafford, Okla., and Mrs. N. L. Carroll of Phillips, Okla., and then on to Denison, Texas, to visit another sister, Mrs. Ella Snow.

Mrs. Reed and her daughter are not trying to make a record in walking. They stop and rest when tired, eat when hungry, eat whatever they want, and drink nothing but water.

AGAINST AN ELMO FIRM.

Proceedings Brought in Federal Court
at St. Joseph on Wednesday.

A bankrupt action was filed in the federal court in St. Joseph yesterday against the firm of Anderson Brothers of Elmo. Two local creditors, Nave-McCord Mercantile Co. and G. W. Chase & Sons, and a Kansas City firm, Rothenberg & Schloss, are listed in the petition.

Nave-McCord's account with the Elmo firm is given at \$635.22, and that of Chase & Sons as \$191. Rothenberg & Schloss give their account as \$25. The petition charges that the firm transferred sums of money to preferred creditors, thereby committing acts of bankruptcy.

TIME IS UP

For Candidates to File Their Campaign
Expense Affidavits—All Have
Filed.

The time was up today for the candidates to file their campaign expense affidavits. All of the county candidates have filed. George Pat Wright, for prosecuting attorney, spent \$9.50, and William Blackford, for judge of the county court for the north district, did not spend a cent in the campaign.

Other candidates filing expense affidavits today were Ed Wallace, for sheriff, who spent \$43.10; W. J. Skidmore, for representative, spent \$65.40, and John M. Dawson, for township committeeman, spent \$2.50.

BAND CONCERT THIS EVENING.

Here's the Program for the One to Be
Given by the Maryville Con-
cert Band.

The following is the program to be given this evening by the Maryville band, Prof. L. V. Lawler, director:

March—Convention City.....Allen
Selection from the opera "Wang".....
.....Morse
Berceuse from Jocelyn.....Godard
Medley march—O. Mr. Dream Man.....
.....Phillips
Paraphrase—Lorely.....Nesvadba
Intermezzo—Idle Fancies.....
.....Herbert Clark
The Rhinoceros Rag.....Allen
March—Across the Pacific.....Fulton

RUN TO BE MADE SEPTEMBER 17.

Autoists From Eagleville and Other
Towns to Come to Maryville
on That Date.

Autoists and others from Eagleville and several from neighboring towns will make a run to Maryville on September 17 for the purpose of advertising and organizing for the White Trail, a proposed automobile highway from Quincy, Ill., to Nebraska City, Neb. The run was to have been made Wednesday, but on account of the condition of the roads was put off until later.

WANT MORE HELP.

Superintendent J. R. Edwards of the
Postoffice Building, Would Like
to Have 25 More Laborers.

Superintendent J. R. Edwards of the new postoffice building in this city has an advertisement in today's paper for twenty-five good laborers to work on the building. Mr. Edwards stated that more help is needed now. The work on the building is progressing very nicely.

WON SEVERAL PREMIUMS.

F. P. Robinson, Progressive Nominee
for Congress, Displayed Poland-
Chinas at State Fair.

F. P. Robinson of this city has a carload of Poland-China registered hogs on display at the Nebraska state fair at Lincoln this week. Word was received Thursday morning that he had won several first and second prizes on his animals and third prize on the herd.

TO BE BROUGHT TO MARYVILLE.

Ed Flemming, in Jail at Hopkins, to
Be Put in the County Jail Here.

Deputy Sheriff Evans went to Hopkins Thursday to bring Ed Flemming to the county jail here. Flemming is charged with disturbing the peace of the neighborhood at Hopkins, and has been in the jail at that town for several days.

Guests From Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, from Wyoming, have been at Barnard for several days visiting Mr. Smith's sister, Mrs. Butler Clawson, and Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Sarah Moffitt. They will leave Friday for California to spend the winter, stopping in Kansas City for a day's visit with Mr. Smith's old friend, A. L. Cutler.

FARMS AT AUCTION

FIVE HUNDRED SIXTY-THREE
ACRES TO HIGHEST BIDDER.

BROUGHT GOOD AVERAGE

The Two Farms Bring a Total of More
Than Forty-Two Thousand Dollars
From Nodaway County Men.

At the public land auction sale held Wednesday afternoon at the old Lee farm, east of the city, a good price was received for both farms. The farms sold were the 250-acre farm, located two and a half miles east of the city, and a farm of 313 acres located about a half mile north of this farm. The sale was cried by Auctioneer R. P. Hosmer, and an average price of \$74 was received for both farms.

The 250-acre farm was sold to Levi Wallace of near Elmo for \$88 an acre, or \$22,000. The 313-acre farm was sold to Perry A. Farrens of Clearmont for \$64.50 an acre, amounting to \$20,188.50. The 313-acre farm had practically no improvements.

Both farms were owned by A. V. Hunt of Clarinda, Ia., and this was the first time for many years that a farm auction sale has been held.

HOLD CIRCUIT COURT SATURDAY

A Short Session Will Be Held on That
Day by Judge W. C. Ellison.

Judge Ellison will hold a session of circuit court on Saturday, the principal matter to come up for consideration being the case of Judge J. W. Morris to have the city issue a commission to him as police judge.

Another matter that will come up will be the injunction suit filed restraining Sheriff Tilson and others from selling the mortgaged property of Joe Younger of Elmo. George Walton of Elmo has been appointed receiver of the Younger property at that town and has qualified by giving \$20,000 bond.

WITHOUT HIS AUTHORITY.

Ed Wallace's Name Presented at the
Bull Moose Convention Without
His Knowledge or Consent.

Ed Wallace of Clearmont, Democratic candidate for sheriff, was in Maryville Thursday. Mr. Wallace met with an accident Tuesday and was on crutches. In speaking to a representative of this paper, Mr. Wallace said that his name was presented at the Bull Moose county convention last Saturday without his authority or knowledge.

Preaching at Pickering.

Rev. H. T. Dueker, pastor of the Pickering M. E. church, will preach at 8 o'clock p. m. The choir will furnish special music. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Roland Wray, superintendent, Epworth League service at 7 o'clock p. m., the subject being "The Peril of Great Achievements." Stant Garten, president, Myrtle Tree meetings will close Sunday afternoon.

Visiting His Son.

A. J. Royston, accompanied by his brother, R. H. Royston, both of Glencoe, Okla., arrived in Maryville Thursday morning for a visit with A. J. Royston's son, Rev. W. B. Royston of Barnard, who is now conducting revival services at the Mt. Ayr church, east of Maryville.

Miss Carpenter Returned.

Miss Dora Carpenter of the domestic science department of the Maryville schools, returned Thursday morning from Chicago, where she has been taking special work in her department at the Chicago university.

Insurance Adjuster Here.

W. E. Bowen of St. Joseph, insurance adjuster for the Connecticut Insurance company, was in Maryville Thursday settling the loss of a barn and contents that were destroyed by fire a few weeks ago.

On Visit to Son.

Mrs. S. M. Beattie of Newport, Ark., will arrive in Maryville Thursday night for a visit at the home of her son, M. L. Beattie, and his wife.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair and continued warm
tonight and Friday

Latest Post Cards
1 cent each at **Crane's**

DO YOU NEED GLASSES?

Eyes Tested Free

Glasses Accurately Fitted by expert
Optician. Repairs Promptly Executed at
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For State Auditor—John P. Gordon.
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For Judge Kansas City Court of Appeals—F. H. Trimble.

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For State Senator—Anderson Craig.

For Representative—W. J. Skidmore.

For Judge of South District—Floyd Westfall.

For Judge of North District—Wm. Blackford.

For Prosecuting Attorney—George Pat Wright.

For Sheriff—Ed Wallace.

For Treasurer—E. F. Wolfert.

For Surveyor—J. E. R. ese.

For Coroner—Dr. Wm. Wallis, Jr.

For Public Administrator—J. F. Roelofson.

Here From Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Bolin and two children arrived in Maryville Sunday night for a visit with Mr. Bolin's father and brothers, Pleas Bolin and W. F. J. O. and J. D. Bolin. On Sunday a family reunion of the Bolin family will be held in this city at the home of W. F. Bolin.

Returned From the Ozarks.

Miss Lois Halley returned Wednesday night from a two weeks' visit with friends and relatives at Willow Springs, Bronaugh and Sterling, Mo. Miss Halley's grandmother, Mrs. E. E. Hever of Burlington Junction, who accompanied her, stopped at Amazonia for a visit.

Visitors at Wray Home.

Mrs. T. B. Neal of Troy, Kan., and Mrs. Leroy Bennett of Riverton, Neb., and Mrs. L. S. Parker of Blue Mound, Kan., arrived in Maryville Wednesday night and are guests at the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Verne Wray of North Market street.

Guests From Oklahoma.

Prof. and Mrs. Gettinger of Norman, Okla., arrived in the city Thursday and are guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Allen. Prof. Gettinger is a member of the faculty of the State Normal at Norman. Mrs. Gettinger is a niece of Dr. and Mrs. Allen.

Returning to Oklahoma.

Miss Stella Q. Smith left Thursday morning for Oklahoma City, Okla., to resume her work as a teacher in the public schools of that city. Miss Smith will stop in Kansas City for a few days' visit with relatives.

School books and supplies. All kinds. Hotchkiss's Variety Store.

Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—4,000. Market 10c higher. Estimate tomorrow, 1,500.

Hogs—17,000. Market 5c to 15c lower; top, \$8.95. Estimate tomorrow, 13,000.

Sheep—16,000. Market 10c higher.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—5,000. Market strong.

Hogs—3,500. Market 5c to 15c lower; top, \$8.75.

Sheep—6,000. Market 10c higher.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—2,000. Market strong.

Hogs—6,500. Market 5c to 15c lower; top, \$8.70.

Sheep—2,500. Market 10c higher.

"CASCARETS" FOR A SICK, SOUR STOMACH

Gently But Thoroughly Cleanse and Regulate Your Stomach, Liver and Bowels While You Sleep.

That awful sourness, belching of acid and foul gases; that pain in the pit of the stomach, the heartburn, nervousness, nausea, bloating after eating, feeling of fullness, dizziness and sick headache, means a disordered stomach, which cannot be regulated until you remove the cause. It isn't your stomach's fault. Your stomach is as good as any.

Try Cascarets; they immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the intestines and bowels. Then your stomach trouble is ended. A Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning—a 10-cent box from any drug store will keep your stomach sweet; liver and bowels regular for months. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a good, gentle cleansing, too.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Will Meet With Mrs. Hunt.

The Women's Missionary society of the First Baptist church will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. E. Hunt, on East First street.

Will Be a Smith College Girl.

Miss Pauline Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Raleigh Martin of St. Joseph, arrived in Maryville Wednesday for a week's visit with her grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Martin. Miss Martin will leave the 16th of September for Northampton, Mass., to enter Smith college.

C. W. P. M. to Meet Thursday.

The C. W. P. M. of the Christian church will meet at the church Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. All members are requested to be present, as there will be election of officers, and those who have not had the opportunity to contribute to the Jacob Kenoly memorial fund will please come prepared at this meeting.

Eighth Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Halbert T. Catterson, living north of Maryville, observed their eighth wedding anniversary Sunday by entertaining a few friends at dinner. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Porter, Miss Bessie Porter, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Glass. Sunday was also the birthday anniversary of one of the guests, Miss Porter. Milan Glass, the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Glass, acted as best man at Mr. and Mrs. Catterson's wedding.

Wroe Carpenter is Married.

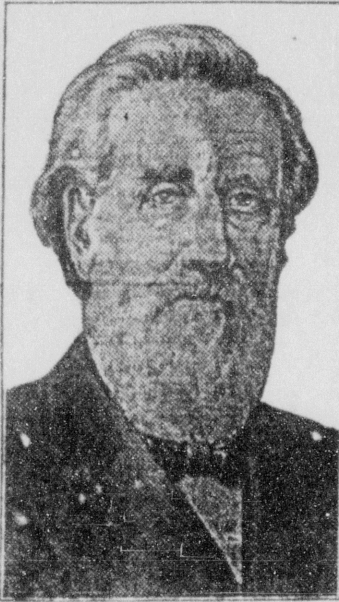
Mr. and Mrs. Wroe G. Carpenter, who were married Sunday at the home of the bride's parents, near Carrollton, Mo., arrived in Maryville Wednesday evening and spent an hour with the family of Mr. Carpenter's brother, L. E. Carpenter. Mrs. Carpenter was Miss Eunice Goodson and is well known in the vicinity of Burlington Junction, where she has visited friends. They went from Maryville to Mr. Carpenter's home, near Quinman Thursday evening and were welcomed there by Fleming Carpenter, a nephew, and Miss Katherine Carpenter, a niece, in the Carpenter Enger car.

Jewel Art Club Organized.

Misses Maggie and Dora Allen were the first hostesses on Tuesday night of the Jewel Art club, a new club organized the week previous at the home of Miss Cleo Grundy. The purpose of the new club is for the general study of needlework, including embroidery and lace crochet. The officers chosen are Miss Dora Allen, president; Miss Mayme Tilson, vice president; Miss Hazel Gove, secretary-treasurer; Miss Cleo Grundy, corresponding secretary. The meetings will be held at the home of one of the members each Tuesday night. The club colors are pink and green. The decorations selected by the hostesses on Tuesday night were pink cosmos and ferns. After the business session the evening's work proceeded and a social time was later enjoyed, when ices were served. There were three guests, Miss Eva Tabler and her guest, Miss Iva Merrill of Woodward, Okla., and Miss Ruth Foster. The club members were all present excepting Misses Lois and Mildred Cummings, who are visiting in Mammoth Springs, Ark. The other members are Misses Maggie, Dora and Daisy Allen, Mayme Tilson, Hazel Gove, Cleo Grundy, Vernie Woodward, Angie VanHorn, Ola and Ora King, Oma Robey, Clara Tabler, Bernice Cast.

Sheriff and Mrs. W. R. Tilson and Miss Mayme Tilson went to Bolckow Thursday morning to attend the fair.

SENATOR STEPHENSON



Isaac Stephenson, the aged senator from Wisconsin, was stricken with severe illness, while in the pine woods far from civilization, but is on the way to recovery.

TO STAND PAT ON CANAL TOLLS

HAGUE TRIBUNAL WILL NOT DECIDE CASE.

Careful Study Shows United States Stands Alone in Matter—Morgan's Influence Feared.

Washington, Sept. 5.—Forewarned by the British protest and not dissuaded by the announcement of the foreign office that the reports of England's intention to refer to The Hague its objections to the Panama canal bill are premature, the state department has made an exhaustive analysis of political and commercial conditions surrounding the nations that are party to The Hague, with a view of determining the probable status of the United States in the controversy.

The study has been made because submission of the canal toll question to The Hague would leave the United States in an anomalous position. Primarily, The Hague was designed to try cases between nation and nation. In the canal case it would be the United States against the world.

The result of the study has not been reassuring. It has strengthened the department in the view that the tolls question is one for the United States to determine alone and it is safe to predict that The Hague will never sit on the case.

The investigation has developed that only three nations represented in The Hague could occupy a position of absolute neutrality. These are Paraguay and Switzerland, two inland countries, and Bolivia, which has virtually no marine commerce.

The inquiry has developed the remarkable fact that an American, J. P. Morgan, by setting patriotism behind him and keeping only to the commercial interests involved, has it in his power to combine with England and dominate the world as represented in The Hague, in settling the question of canal tolls.

STREET CAR MEN NEAR STRIKE

Chicago Unions Suddenly Terminate Conference and Issue Ultimatum.

Chicago, Sept. 5.—Just as the wage controversy between the officials of Chicago's street railway and their 14,000 employees was about to be settled the unions withdrew from the conference and issued an ultimatum.

The men's challenge gives the employers 24 hours to meet the employers' terms or face a general strike. "The joint committee," so they say, "has become convinced that by their dilatory tactics the employers are endeavoring to create dissension among the unionists. Therefore, we offer the companies 24 hours in which to meet our terms or face what measures we may see fit to take to bring about the ends we desire."

"We demand a single arbitration board to settle all disputes regarding wages and working conditions between the men and the two street car companies involved. Either that, or one arbitration board to treat with one company, with the understanding that the other company will make the same terms with us. This is our last word." Officials of the companies said they would give the men their answer at 10 o'clock in the morning.

Increase for Alton Men.

Fulton, Mo., Sept. 5.—A 15 per cent increase in wages has been granted the agents and operators of the Chicago & Alton railroad on several Missouri divisions. Among the cities affected are St. Louis, Kansas City, Slater, Louisiana and Mexico. The increase is due to the activity of a committee from the telegraphers' union, sent to Chicago recently to confer with the officials of the road. The salaries of the operators will now range from \$65 to \$72.50.

Diplomats at Mikado's Bier.

Tokio, Sept. 5.—The entire foreign diplomatic corps paid their respects at the bier of the late Emperor Meiji, upon whose coffin they laid a silver wreath. They were previously received in audience by Emperor Yoshihito and the empress.

WANTED

Applications of those who wish to secure the list of merchandise offered to the couple to be married in public at the

Big Free Street Fair September 19, 1912

All applications are strictly confidential. The decision will be made by lot Saturday, September 7, 1912, but the names of the lucky couple will be kept a secret until the day of the wedding.

The committee has planned to make this the prettiest and best street fair wedding ever held in the city.

Send your names to any of the committee: F. R. Marcell, Harry H. Lyle or Jesse Paulette.

The following list of gifts has a value of \$300.00 and is worth the consideration of those contemplating marriage:

Bee Hive shoe store, bride's slippers; Berney Harris, suit for groom; Maryville Furniture Co., a kitchen cabinet; Montgomery Shoe Co., bride's shoes; Friend barber shop, tensorial work; Reuillard's, wedding cake; Toggery shop, hat for groom; Schumacher's, parlor lamp; Snoderly Music Co., an organ; Hansen Bros' Cigar Co., box of Little Devil cigars; Corwin-Murrin Co., pair of gloves; Hudson & Welch Hardware Co., gasoline range, five burners; Switzer & Davidson, box of Great American cigars; Montgomery & Lyle, shirt for groom; Hutton Cigar Co., box of Lord Lobsters; Love & Gaugh, bottle of perfume; Wadley Bros., best buggy whip; J. C. Denham, lap duster; Cook's bazaar, salad bowl; Raines Bros., an eight-day clock; New York Candy Kitchen, wedding cake; D. R. Eversole, pair of blankets; H. T. Crane, framed picture; Townsend grocery, 100 pounds of Gold Coin flour; M. Nussbaum, umbrella; J. C. Ferriter Drug

Co., box Colgate's soap; Englemann greenhouse, bride's bouquet; Koch Pharmacy, comb and brush; R. S. Braniger, Dakota Cream flour; J. Arthur Wray, marriage license; Andrews & Hempstead, cereal cooker; Saunders Bros., meat market, one ham; R. Deschauer, wedding ring; Mrs. Staples, bride's hat; Forsyth's, side of bacon; Fern theater, admission for wedding party; C. A. Barbour, washing machine; F. M. Petty, rug; Field-Lippman, certificate of part payment for any piano in stock; L. R. Holt, axe; F. R. Marcell, one dozen photos; Democrat-Forum, one year's subscription to daily; Price & McNeal furniture store, a sewing machine; Frank H. Shepard, manual training department, tabourette; Byers & Buhler, three pounds Tone Bros' Lesperly coffee; A. Vandersloot, meat market, ten-pound pall fancy lard; Daily Tribune, year's subscription; Sawyers & Aiky, three pounds Paxton & Gallagher coffee.

Maryville's Big Free Street Fair Sept. 16-21

CONVICTS REFUSED TO WORK

MUTINOUS MICHIGAN PRISONERS TO BE FLOGGED.

Severe Measures to be Used Hereafter to Preserve Discipline—Revolt is Crushed.

Jackson, Mich., Sept. 5.—Nearly 100 prisoners in the state penitentiary here have refused to go to work. They say they will die before they will lift a finger unless Warden Simpson resigns. These men will be flogged. The manner in which they will be beaten into submission has not been stated by the warden or the board of control.

Three hundred men were marched to work completely frightened by the riotous scenes when the soldiers fired two volleys to crush the mutiny. The institution was comparatively quiet, occasionally a catcall or inmate breaking the silence of the place. It required only a rebuke from a militiaman to quiet the disturber.

Those prisoners who returned to work expressed fears they would meet personal violence at the hands of the more desperate convicts. They were told they would be given adequate protection. The soldier-guards in the workshops stood with fixed bayonets.

Members of the board of control have determined to use the severest measures possible to preserve discipline. Gov. Osborn has urged this, saying the system of idealism and humanism has failed.

Warden Simpson said positively the mutiny had been crushed.

School books and supplies. All kinds. Hotchkiss's Variety Store.

Misses Anna and Margaret Hopper went to St. Joseph Thursday morning for a visit with their brother, Henry Hopper.

EASTMAN KODAKS and SUPPLIES at Crane's

TOWNSEND'S

Friday Grocery Bargains

Be Sure to Get In on Some of the Good Ones.

6 lbs Cabbage 15c
Large Pails Lake Fish, worth \$1.00, for 65c
Bulk Salmon, per lb 10c
Good 10c Mackerel, 3 for 20c
No. 1 Celery, 3 bunches 10c
Choice Sweet Potatoes, per lb 5c
Pound prints Golden Rule Butterine for 20c
20c Bacon, pieces 10 to 14 lbs, lb 15c
35c 4-seam Broom for 20c
5c and 6c best Brooms, 2 for 75c
Carton Silent Lighter Matches (six thousand matches) for 20c
5 gallons Perfection Coal Oil (at stores) for 15c
2 doz Jar Tops for Mason Jars 25c
50-lb sack No. 1 Fine Salt 30c
25-lb sacks No. 1 Fine Salt 18c
5c Yeast Foam, 3 for 15c
10c pound pkgs Cow Soda, 3 for 20c
25c pkgs Gold Dust 15c
Big Ben Soap, 6 for 25c
35c sacks Graham Flour 25c
25c Uncle Sam Breakfast Food 21c
25c Postum for 20c
15c Puffed Rice 12c
10c Puffed Wheat for 8c
10c Price's Wheat Flakes 7c
10c Pancake Flour, 2 pkgs 15c
10c cans Maple Syrup 8c
25c jars best Peanut Butter 20c
4 1/2 lbs best 25c Roasted Coffee 1.00
30c lb Santos Peaberry Coffee 4 lbs for \$1.00
15c Cream of Rye (with spoon) 12c
Bulk Olives, per pint 12c
Potted Ham or Tongue, can 4c
Sweet Oranges, doz 25c
Big assortment Fruits, Vegetables, Melons, Etc., at less prices than elsewhere.

THE TOWNSEND CO.

THE ONLY LARGE EXCLUSIVE CASH STORE IN NORTHWEST MISSOURI.

Visiting in Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Varnon and family of Galveston, Texas, arrived in Maryville Wednesday evening for a several days' visit with Mrs. Varnon's brother, Roy Collins, and Mrs. Collins.

School books and supplies. All kinds. Hotchkiss's Variety Store.

Mrs. W. A. Holliday went to Bolckow Thursday morning to attend the fair, and visit at the home of her brother, Mr. Simmons.

School books and supplies. All kinds. Hotchkiss's Variety Store.

MONTGOMERY & LYLE CLOTHING CO.

Specials for Friday and Saturday, Sept. 6 and 7

They are coming our way. The people have found the place where they can get the goods and save their money. So get the boys ready for school by buying their Suits of us.

\$6.50 Suits at \$4.50
\$5.50 Suits at \$4.00
\$4.50 Suits at \$3.50
\$4.00 Suits at \$3.00
All Blue Serge Suits and Pants excepted:
Boys' \$1.50 Pants \$1.15
Boys' \$1.00 Pants 85c
Boys' 75c Pants 65c
All Boys' Waists 35c
All Boys' 25c Stockings 20c
Yours to please.

MONTGOMERY & LYLE CLOTHING CO.

One Door North of Nodaway Valley Bank.

YOUR HAIR IS FLUFFY, BEAUTIFUL AND LUSTROUS IN A FEW MOMENTS

GIRLS! GET A 25-CENT BOTTLE OF "DANDERINE" AND TRY THIS—ALSO STOPS FALLING HAIR; DESTROYS DANDRUFF.

Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after a "Danderine hair cleanse." Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt and excessive oil and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair. Besides beautifying the hair at once, Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff, cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair.

But what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use when you will actually see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair and lots of it surely get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any druggist or toilet counter, and just try it.

LIST OF TEACHERS

(Continued from Page 1)

Effie Richards, Skidmore, Bolckow. Nora Wilson, Washington, Clyde. Madison Wilson, Lafayette, Guilford. Beulah Thompson, Lincoln, Guilford. Earl Richards, Whiteford, Barnard. Lucy Richards, Dougan, Bolckow. Edith Shaver, White Hall, Bolckow. Mamie Armstrong, Harmon, Barnard. Ollie Leeper, Baker, Barnard. Henry Shinall, Common Sense, Barnard. Horace Lemaster, Singery, Barnard. Reed Council, Miller, Barnard. Anna Pinkbener, Hayzett, Graham. Kate McCaffrey and Louise McCann. Caleb Smith, Conception Junction.

Let us have a look at your Eyes

You may be having trouble that is caused from eye strain.

Our thorough routine examination with Mediaometer and trial case enable us to obtain results that make the use of glasses a pleasure.

All work guaranteed.

Raines Brothers

"Just a step past Main"

SALE BILLS

A Specialty at the

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We're Fixed to Do Your Work



A PERTINENT QUESTION.

How do you like to be the repair man? Not a very pleasant subject. No doubt the job would ruffle your feelings as well as your clothes.

SAVE A LOT OF TROUBLE.

Bring your car to us for inspection and repairs. This will win in the long run. Have you ever tried our repair service? You will find quick action and low prices.

J. L. Fisher

Good Farm for Sale

I offer for sale the John McDowell farm lying 1 mile north of Maryville, consisting of 243 acres, all suitable for cultivation. Has several good wells, a fine spring, good eight room house, large barn and good fencing. Is 1/4 of a mile from school house. Must be sold to close up an estate, will make good price and carry good loan on place. Inquire of SARAH McDOWELL, 304 West 12th St. Maryville, Mo.

LIVED A WEEK ON BREAKFAST FOOD

Five Missouri Families Starved to Help Charity.

STRANDED DRUMMER STARTED IT

Broke, He Sold Shipment of 500 Packages—High Cost of Living Was Reduced—One Says Third Day Was "Terrible."

Princeton, Mo., Sept. 5.—Five families of this town have gained a lap on the high cost of living as a result of a charity week organization here by the Helping Hand society recently. The weekly expense has been reduced on an average of 30 cents per person. The undertaking netted \$56.54, for the relief of the poor next winter.

The answer to the riddle was easy—breakfast food. Breakfast, dinner, supper, and in between times these five Princeton families—the head of one is a wealthy real estate dealer and all are considered well-to-do, ate nothing else—cream, sugar and breakfast food. And the difference between it and the old cost, which included potatoes, corn, bread, chickens, salads, jellies, marmalades, and the other delicacies of a country town, was charity's reward.

How It Started.

The experiment started shortly after a stranded grocery drummer came here. He was without expense money, but he had a shipment of 500 packages of breakfast food—ten cents a package. He offered the society one cent for each package it would sell and an additional bonus of \$1.50 per hundred. This gave an idea to Miss Lois Cockrell, secretary, and she proposed the trial of the food as a steady diet for one week. Five families, each of them members of the society, pledged themselves to eat nothing else during the entire week. Strict account was to be kept of the saving over the old plan.

Girls Sold 384 Packages.

At the same time eight high school girls were sent over town selling the food to housewives. The girls, led by Miss Bess McBeath and Miss Florence Fuller sold 384 packages, which netted \$9.60 to the charity fund.

The figures turned in are startling: Schuyler King and his family of five had been spending \$10.75 a week. Breakfast food cut it \$1.40.

A. W. Clements' family of six reduced from \$1.75 a day to 26 1/2 cents a day.

The family of J. R. Gardiner, three in number, used to spend \$9.50 each week. Their bill was 91 cents.

W. M. Pickens, with a family of four, cut from \$16 a week to \$1.40.

Miss Cockrell's figures on their family of five showed a saving of \$10.

The five families, totalling 23 persons, saved, during the week, \$46.94.

No Work for Mother.

"The first day everything was lovely," said Mr. King. "The second day I rather missed my wife's good cooking. The next day it was terrible. That must have been the crisis, because during the four remaining days I grew more and more contented. My wife liked it—it wasn't any trouble."

TURKS FIRE ON AMERICAN YACHT

Party of Pleasure Tourists Stopped Near Constantinople—Proceeded With Turkish Pilot.

Boston, Sept. 5.—A yacht flying the United States flag and having 40 Americans aboard was fired upon by a Turkish fort in the Dardanelles according to reports just brought here by passengers on the steamer Manito from Antwerp. According to Miss Gertrude L. Carey and her niece, Miss Gertrude Barnes of Duluth, who were on the yacht, no official report of the occurrence was made, as the party did not wish to be delayed.

The yacht was chartered by a tourist agency and was bound from Athens to Constantinople. Near Constantinople a fort fired twice across the bows, in answer to which the American flag was run to the fore truck.

Despite this display of the colors, a shot was dropped within a few yards of the yacht. Officers examined the yacht and, placing a Turkish officer and pilot aboard, allowed the vessel to proceed.

Aaron Watkins Is Notified.

Ada, Ohio, Sept. 5.—In this, his home city and the seat of Ohio Northern university with which he was so long connected, Aaron S. Watkins was today notified of his nomination for the vice-presidency by the national convention of the Prohibition party. Many Prohibition party leaders from various parts of the United States were present. Clinton N. Howard was chairman of the notification committee and delivered a lively speech, in response to which Mr. Watkins made his address of acceptance.

Socialists Hissed Kaiser.

Zurich, Sept. 5.—For hissing the Kaiser, who is here to see the Swiss army maneuvers, two Italian Socialists were arrested and will be held for disorderly conduct until after his majesty's departure and then probably freed. The authorities are much worried concerning the German ruler's safety.

PUT FULL STATE TICKET IN FIELD

Progressive Convention at St. Louis Rejects Fusion.

JUDGE NORTONI FOR GOVERNOR

Nearly All Nominations Made by Acclamation—New Party Candidates Nearly All Young Men.

The Progressive State Ticket. Governor—Albert D. Norton of St. Louis. Lieutenant-Governor—J. M. Burrus of Kansas City. Secretary of State—Frederick W. Neidermeyer of Columbia. Attorney General—Arthur M. Hyde of Princeton. State Auditor—J. A. G. Reynolds of Ava. State Treasurer—John Ball of Joplin. Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner—John W. McCoy of Kansas City. Supreme Court—Richard N. Dalton of Hannibal, Ford W. Thompson of St. Louis, Frank L. Arthod of Chillicothe. Kansas City Court of Appeals—J. P. Burney of Kansas City. Springfield Court of Appeals—John H. McCammon of Springfield, M. E. Morrow of West Plains, John H. Spurgeon of Joplin. St. Louis Court of Appeals—Paul V. Janis of St. Louis.

St. Louis, Sept. 5.—Rejecting any suggestion of fusion with either of the old parties, the Progressives of Missouri in their state convention named a straight third party ticket from top to bottom.

The ticket is composed largely of active, alert young men, the only exception to the rule of the young men being the nomination of Richard N. Dalton for one of the judges of the supreme court and J. M. Burrus for lieutenant governor.

Practically every nomination was made by acclamation or on the first ballot.

The ticket itself is composed of candidates who have not been practical politicians.

Demonstration for Norton.

The big feature of the session was the nomination of Judge Albert D. Norton for governor. All the delegates knew it was going to happen, and Judge Norton had presided over the convention until noon as temporary chairman.

The delegates knew him and had become accustomed to his appearance before them, but when at last he was placed in nomination and became the candidate of the new party for governor it was an impressive scene. A stirring demonstration was accorded him, for the delegates realized that Judge Norton was accepting the nomination purely as a matter of devotion to the Progressive movement.

Almost equally interesting was the nomination of Capt. J. M. Burrus for lieutenant governor. Many candidates had been suggested for the position, but Mr. Burrus' name had not been mentioned.

Veterans Cheered Burrus.

When he was placed in nomination as a former Democrat and a soldier who had worn the gray, but who had been one of the first to join the Progressive party, the delegates stood on their feet and cheered. Capt. J. M. London, a soldier of the blue, and other old veterans, who opposed in 1891-95, rushed to the platform to second this nomination.

A lively contest took place for state treasurer. F. E. Miller of Springfield, John Ball of Joplin and George Meyer of St. Louis were nominated. Before the vote was taken Meyer withdrew and the race was between Ball and Miller. The vote was 883 for Ball to 71 for Miller.

All the defeated candidates took their defeat in the best spirit and congratulated their opponents. The convention was in the best humor possible, notwithstanding the stifling heat. Its work was not completed until late in the evening, but the delegates stayed until the chairman's gavel fell at the final adjournment.

ASK PERMIT TO BUILD IN KANSAS

Missouri, Oklahoma & Gulf Railroad Wants to Complete Road Through State.

Topeka, Sept. 5.—The Missouri, Oklahoma & Gulf, the new railroad William Kenefick is building, applied to the Kansas utilities commission for a certificate to permit the road to build into Kansas.

The road is completed from Wagoner, Ok., to Sherman, Tex., and the grading is being done from Wagoner north to the Kansas line.

The line is located from Baxter Springs to Crestline, Kan., and the company desires to begin work in Kansas this month.

Fulton Editor Marries.

Fulton, Mo., Sept. 5.—Ovid Bell, president of the Missouri Press Association and editor of the Fulton Gazette, and Miss Maude Hall were married at the home of the bride in Rochepot, Mo. They have gone to the Wisconsin lakes on a honeymoon trip.

The Maryville Conservatory of Music

Will Open the Regular Term Next Monday, Sept. 9th.

This is the tenth year of the school under the management of Mr. Landon and it promises to be the largest in its history. The large number of successful teachers and musicians who have studied in this school give ample proof of the thoroughness of its instruction.

Practical and thorough courses in Piano, Voice, Violin, Harmony, Counterpoint and History of Music. All class subjects will organize next week. Send for catalog to

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PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at public auction at the late G. W. Wood farm, 4 miles east and 1 1/2 miles north of Skidmore, commencing at 10 o'clock on Monday, September 9, 1912

the following property:

4 Head of Horses—Gray mare 6 years old, black mare 2 years old, smooth-mouth bay mare, smooth-mouth bay horse.

Six Cows and Calves—Black milk cow 5 years old, red cow 5 years old, heifer 2 years old, 3 sucking calves.

15 Head of Hogs, and one male hog.

Ten tons hay; 100 hedge posts.

Farm Implements—New top buggy, wagon, spring wagon, set harness, saddle, hay rake, harrow, stalk cutter, lister and two drills, go devil, stirring plow, hay frame. Household and kitchen furniture.

TERMS—All sums of \$10 and under cash, over that amount a credit of 6 months will be given, purchaser giving bankable note with 8 per cent interest from date. Lunch on grounds.

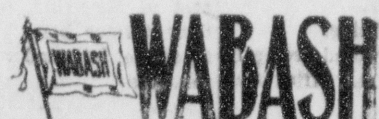
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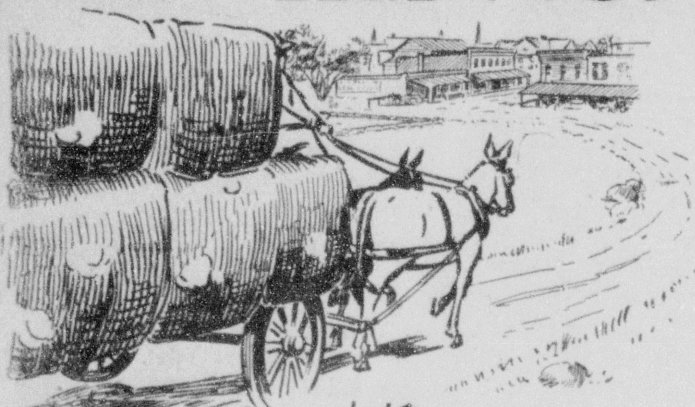
To Shelbyville, Mo., and return account Missouri Conference of the M. E. church, September 4-9, 1912—tickets on sale Aug 31 to Sept. 6, 1912—final return limit Sept. 10, 1912.

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Having sold my farm I will sell at my place, known as the Dan Jones farm, six and a half miles south and one-half mile west of Maryville, on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10th, 1912

The following property:

150—Head of Stock Cattle—150

70 yearling heifers, 20 yearling steers, 50 head of steer and heifer calves. These cattle are all natives in good flesh and are a choice lot.

90—Head of Hogs—90

25 fall shoats, 55 spring pigs, 10 head of high grade Duroc brood sows, 6 to farrow this fall.

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R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.
S. H. Kemp, Clerk.

Robt. D. Miller

Hosmer's Monthly Stock Sale

Gray's Pavilion

Saturday, September 7, 1912

40 Head of Steer Calves—This is an extra good lot and the right kind for true. 20 Head of Horses and Mules—Drivers, drafters and farm chunks. What do you want to sell? List it now.

R. P. HOSMER, "The Auctioneer"

Dental Office Closed

I will be out of town from Sept. 2 to 16, and my office will be closed.

Jesse Miller.

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Returned to Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Hogan of Kansas City returned to their home Thursday morning from their annual week's visit with their cousins, Misses Lottie and Lela Mallam.

Will Teach in Waukegan.

Miss Lena Nixon left Thursday noon for Waukegan, Ill., to begin her new work as assistant principal of one of the city schools at that place.

Contractor Frank Bolin went to Hopkins Thursday to put the finishing touches on the \$6,000 residence of S. A. Pistole, for which he has the contract. He will go from Hopkins to Braddyville, Ia., where he will submit plans for a new \$3,500 residence to be built there. Contractor Bolin has been very busy this summer in his work.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Ashford, living east of Maryville, went to Bolckow, their former home, Thursday, to attend the fair and visit friends and relatives.

Misses Annie and Lizzie Carter went to Bolckow Thursday morning to visit their uncle, J. H. McElwain.

Miss Verna Thomas and Miss Helen Helpley were visitors at the Bolckow fair Thursday.

STORY DECLINED; AUTHOR ACCEPTED

Editor Proves to Be a Woman and Cupid Does the Rest.

By CLYDE JOHNSON.

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Charles Worthington Rankin had arrived at years of discretion without having selected any particular avocation. He was fairly well off, and there was no need to hurry.

Mr. Rankin had sometimes thought of becoming a doctor, but was discouraged when he realized that he might be called out of bed at 1 o'clock in the morning to saw off some man's leg.

The legal profession, mingled more or less with real estate, insurance, politics, promotion trusteeship, receivership and advising corporations how to break the law, offered certain attractions, but Mr. Rankin had seen lawyers perspire when addressing a jury, and he did hate to perspire.

There was painting, but landscape artists, as he had been reliably informed, had to keep the books for some grocery at night to eke out an existence.

If Mr. Rankin should turn to sculpture there were the clay and the stone dust, to soil his cuffs, and even if he brought out a statue of Columbus the daily papers might call it Captain Kidd.

It took Mr. Rankin a long, long time to make up his mind, and then the decision was the result of accident. He dropped in on an assemblage one day that had gathered to honor a young literary man, and when he saw the admiration and heard the adulations bestowed he whispered to himself:

"By George, but I've struck it! Nice easy work and nothing driving about it. All you've got to do is to sit down in your library and think, and then write what you've been thinking about."

Mr. Rankin walked right out of that place and bought him the necessary tools to begin and complete a story that should be a wonder. He did not make the error that so many amateur



The Third Time to Read It.

writers make, of going to or writing to successful authors and asking them how they did it. He didn't care a red cent how they got their plots or worked up their situations. His story would be his own in every particular. And another thing worth recording in Mr. Rankin's favor is the fact that after he had got his plot, laid his situations, named the day and hour, and had his hero in hiding behind a brick pile, he didn't take the two pages of manuscript to this one and that one, and ask them how they thought the story would work out.

No, Sir and no Ma'am! Mr. Rankin didn't care a peanut for the opinions of others on that particular line of work. Had he been going to open a sandstone quarry for the production and sale of grindstones, it would have been different, but in this he was right at home. He felt it from the very first line he wrote. It was to be a serial for a magazine. When finished, after seven long weeks of work—which of itself was a great surprise to his friends—the story came to an end, and the author read it over with glowing self-satisfaction. Then it was sent off to the magazine he had selected, and Mr. Rankin and divers other persons held their breath and walked around on tip-toes.

Mr. Rankin figured that it would be at least a month before his check came and the date of the beginning of the serial would be announced. He was out in his figuring. No one can ever get a close line on those magazine editors. That's why authors continue to revel in poverty. On the fifth day the story was returned with the usual printed prescription. An author who has never received one of these printed slips should be told that they are a half-sheet of fairly good linen paper on which is printed in fairly good English the announcement that after having read every last word of the story the writer was so kind and considerate and everlastingly obliging to forward to that publication instead

of the Congressional Record—after it had been perused by the stenographer, all the typists, the cashier, the book-keeper and the office boy—after having been submitted to the X-ray and a chemical analysis, that editor is convinced that it is one of the great stories of the century, but as his two children are down with the measles he must decline with thanks.

Mr. Rankin read this prescription with amazement. Then he read it with anger. The third time he read it he used cuss-words for punctuation marks and then stood up to say:

"The ignoramus! Why, that editor doesn't know enough to edit a sand-pile, and I'll write and tell him so!"

Mr. Rankin carried out his threat. He had an epistle in the mail-box within the hour that was warranted to make the editorial hair curl and kink. The policy of the magazine editor is never to strike back nor make personal explanations. When he has handed a manuscript to the office boy to be returned to the author that is the end of the affair, except in rare instances. This was a rare instance. J. A. Bennett wrote back that the manuscript had been declined because of its length.

Mr. Rankin pointed out the fact that the magazine had printed four longer ones within the year.

J. A. Bennett wrote that the situations were overdrawn and impossible.

Mr. Rankin pointed out the fact that he had his heroine climbing an iceberg as she sat in the saddle of her broncho, and that the fact was neither unnatural nor impossible. The women of the far west were performing the feat every day.

J. A. Bennett wrote that a great deal of profanity had been introduced into the conversations, and every reader must be more or less shocked. He even had his heroine exclaim:

"Damn it!"

Mr. Rankin replied that this was the age of profanity. The trusts had set everybody to swearing, and profanity was on the increase, and the only recourse the public had. As for his heroine, she was a strong character to begin with, and in the second place she had found herself lost on the plains just as night and a blizzard and a band of hostile Indians were approaching. Under those circumstances should a heroine exclaim:

"O, fudge!"

J. A. Bennett said that so many grammatical errors were found in the story that it would have to be largely overhauled.

Mr. Rankin replied that he was a graduate of Yale, and that if he couldn't demonstrate in public or private that he knew more about grammar in a minute than J. A. B. did in a week he would eat his hat.

J. A. B. then pointed out that the discussion was closed.

Mr. Rankin replied that the other had best look for a job of sawing wood, and that if he ever ran across him he would take great pleasure in punching his head.

A week later J. A. Bennett went to the country on a fortnight's vacation. Mr. Rankin was only a day later in starting. Fate planned that they should both select the same hotel. Fate planned that on the third day after Mr. Rankin's arrival he should go canoeing on the river. He knew his craft and was safe. Some one else went canoeing at the same time that didn't understand the fads and fancies of that make of craft. It was a young woman, and she had only reached the deepest spot for a mile up and down when over went the canoe. Mr. Rankin heard her screams and arrived at the spot in prompt time. She was resting on the bottom, but he dove and found her, and she was carried to the hotel to be revived. Some one told him that it was a Miss Bennett, and that's all he knew about her 'till the next day, when she sent for him to express her gratitude.

Miss Bennett was a little draggy yet, but able to praise Mr. Rankin as a great hero. She surely owed her life to him, and she couldn't find words to tell her feelings.

"And by the way," she smiled, "are you any relation to Mr. Charles Worthington Rankin?"

"Why, I am he!"

A terrible pause ensued and then he asked:

"Can you be related to J. A. Bennett?"

"Why, I am she!"

At least half the magazines have women to read and pass on contributions, and they always sign their names to mislead as to sex.

Did Mr. Rankin punch J. A. B.'s head? Oh, no. He began to admire instead, and in three days he knew that he was in love. He had saved her life. Why shouldn't she admire and love in turn? She won't be a story-reader much longer, and he has already decided that as a story writer he is not a success.

Women and the Farm.

It is not so much because the farmer's boys sought the cities as because his daughters refused to stay on the farm that the rural population has dwindled. At least, the council of the National Bankers' association, in session in Westchester last week, came to the conclusion that the greatest drawback to inducing men to undertake farm work lies in the objections made to it by the women folk. The work in farm households is undeniably heavy. One remedy proposed, and already in operation in some of the western states, is a co-operative chain of laundries. They carry off the week's wash and return it at trivial cost—ten cents is the carrying charge, according to report—thus saving one day's hard labor for the women.—New York Times.

MRS. MCGILL BROKE DOWN

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Jonesboro, Ark.—"I suffered a complete break down in health, some time ago," writes Mrs. A. McGill, from this place. "I was very weak and could not do any work. I tried different remedies, but they did me no good. One day, I got a bottle of Cardui. It did me so much good, I was surprised, and took some more."

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WILL NOT ACCEPT NOMINATION.

F. P. Robinson Said in Telephone Communication That He Would Not be Candidate.

The report comes that F. P. Robinson, who is attending the state fair at Lincoln, Neb., this week, told Nat Sisson, who was in St. Louis Wednesday attending the Progressive state convention that he could not accept the nomination for congress from the Fourth district. Mr. Robinson was nominated Wednesday at the district meeting held before the state convention.

Mr. Sisson called Mr. Robinson up over the telephone from St. Louis. Mr. Sisson did not return home with the delegates that attended that convention. He went from St. Louis to Columbus, Oo., on a visit to his sister.

Mrs. Rebecca Jones of Rochester, Mo., arrived Thursday to join her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. R. Conway of Savannah, on a visit at the home of Mrs. Conway's son, J. D. Conway, living three miles southwest of Maryville.

To Hold Market Saturday.

The W. R. C. will hold a market Saturday, commencing at 5 o'clock at Price & McNeal's furniture store on South Main street.

Protection from loss by windstorms, fire or lightning is business, either in country or city. You owe it to yourself and family. Consult me now for special rates and terms, or phone me and I will call.

CHARLES HYSLOP,
General Agent.

Miss Margaret Stafford went to St. Joseph Thursday morning to continue her work as a teacher in the public schools of that city.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Roelofson went to Bolckow Thursday morning to attend the fair.

Mrs. Cavanaugh returned Thursday from a three weeks' visit with her daughters in Kansas City.

School books and supplies. All kinds. Hotchkiss' Variety Store.

Miss Jennie Collins went to the Bolckow fair Thursday morning.

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FOR SALE—Modern 6-room house and 3 acres on Prather avenue. See Mrs. W. H. Davenport at Logan Holt's. 6-6

FOR SALE—Small herd Aberdeen Angus cattle, team of horses, 2 and 3 years old, and a large team of 4-year-old horses. Mason & Wilderman. 9-17

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